The Bond Election For $150,000 To Build Sand-Asphalt Road From St. Cloud To East Coast Is Certain To Carry With An Overwhelming Majority

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All Arrangements Complete For Grand Celebration Laying Cornerstone G. A. R. on Lincoln's Birthday

Saturday, February 12th, the anniversary of the day on which the Martyr President first saw the light of day, will witness the grandest celebration in St. Cloud's history. On that day the cornerstone of the G. A. R. hall, which was built more than two years ago, will be laid. General Washington Gardner, ex-Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, and who also represented for several terms a Michigan district in Congress, will be present and deliver an address at 2 P. M. in the hall. Hon. Park Trammell, Governor of Florida, will be the orator of the day, and will speak from the steps of the hall in the forenoon

immediately following the ceremonies of laying the cornerstone. Hon. W. H. Smith, Commander of L. L. Mitchell Post, will lay the stone, using the ritual provided by the G. A. R. Special invitations have been extended the several posts in Florida to be present and take part in the ceremonies, as well as all the people of Florida. Kissimmee sends word that every vehicle in that city has been engaged to bring people here that day and people in the country for miles around will come. The committee on arrangements makes a plea to every business man to decorate his house, and to every person who has a flag to unfurl it to the breeze. Let every man, woman and child who has a warm spot in their hearts for those brave old soldiers who stood upon the battle line and faced the deadly charge, who gave four of the best years of their lives to their country, but who today walk with faulty step and whose hair is gray and their cheeks furrowed with the cares and years of age, let them lay aside their business cares for the day and do honor. It is as little as we of younger years can do to pay just reverence and homage to these old soldiers—they are fast fading away, the clock does not strike the hour but somewhere in this land of freedom and liberty the Angel of Death calls one of them home and musters him into the army of the Great Captain of us all. It will not be long before the last one will be taken home. While they yet remain let us make their pathway easier by acts of kindness and words of love. Let us take them by the hand and lead them over the rough places as they go down the hill that ends at eternity. It is little we can do—let us do that little to the fullest.

The following is the program that will be carried out, with the line of march:

PARADE

First Division

School Children, Guard of Honor. Comrade Westcott, Aide; will form on Massachusetts avenue, right on Twelfth street.

Second Division

Woman's Relief Corps.
Elsie B. McElroy Auxiliery.
Army and Navy Union.
Daughters of Veterans.
Spanish-American War Veterans.
Massachusetts avenue, right on Eleventh street. Comrade Livermore, Aide.

Third Division

L. L. Mitchell Posts
Citizens on foot and vehicles.
Comrade W. H. Smith, Aide. Massachusetts avenue, right on Tenth street.

All visiting members of the above organizations are cordially invited to fall in.

All divisions to be in place by 9:45. Parade will start at 10 o'clock sharp.

Line of March—Starting at Massachusetts avenue and Twelfth street, to New York avenue, thence to Eleventh street, thence to Pennsylvania avenue, thence to Tenth street, thence to New York avenue, thence to Eleventh street, thence to Massachusetts avenue, at G. A. R. Hall.

Immediately at close of parade the ceremonies of laying the cornerstone will commence. W. H. Smith, Commander of L. L. Mitchell Post, being in charge the stone to be laid under the rules of the G. A. R.

Oration by Hon. Park Trammell, Governor of Florida.

Dinner.

Meeting in G. A. R. Hall at 2 p. m., at which Hon. Washington Gardner, ex-Grand Commander of the G. A. R., will deliver an address. This meeting will be opened by Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Philpott and Miss Gracie Davis, deaf mutes, who will sing "Nearer, My God, to Thee," in the sign language.

Meeting will close with audience joining in singing "The Star-Spangled Banner."

In closing this article it would be proper to state that the Post is named in honor of the first soldier who died in the colony—Lucius L. Mitchell—and that the motion to so name it was made by John H. DeGraw, the first commander of the Post, Comrade DeGraw having served in Company I, 50th Pennsylvania Infantry.

BROUGHT IN FOUR DEER MONDAY DR. JIM STEWART GETS CREDIT

A large party of as jolly pirates as ever sailed the prairies south of the Wonder City went out last week. Dr. Jim Stewart and Dad Wilson were in the bunch, and they had been boasting about how real deer hunters did things and criticised some of our amateur sports who "thought they knew a deer when they saw it." Incidentally they remarked that they would bring back a few deer "just to show some people what a deer looked like." The Tribune was all primed to give these boasters the happy ha ha, but behold, they returned with four deer, and the Tribune doffs its hat to them and desires to give due credit to Dr. Jim, for though he did not kill a deer himself he was the cause of the rest of the party getting theirs. We might as well be frank and tell why all the credit belongs to Dr. Jim, and the facts are as follows:

The party placed Jim to guard the path where the deer were sure to pass and they went out to jump them. When the party got the deer out of the swamp and trailed them down to the place where Dr. Jim was supposed to put the finishing touches on them they found him sleeping like a sweet child after a hard day's picknicking. On being awakened and asked "Where are the deer?" he replied: "What deer?" and was told four-legged ones, of course. Dr. Jim denied having frightened any deer or even having seen any, and when the hunters examined the trail they found the prints of deer feet in a straight string, showing plainly where they had leaped over the doctor's sleeping form, except one small track, which was evidently a fawn too young to make the leap, and rather than risk being tripped on the doctor's ammunition belt had daintily stepped between his legs and followed the herd.

Now, it seems strange to think that Dr. Jim should be given credit for the party getting the deer, but he deserves it all, for had he been awake he would, no doubt, have frightened the deer away, and as he was asleep the real hunters were able to follow the trail and got the four deer as above stated.

The party consisted of Dr. Jim Stewart, to whom the credit has been given: Dad Wilson, who went along to see that Dr. Jim got safely back home; Henry Padgett, who killed one deer; W. A. Drawdy, who killed two deer; Gurdon Clark, Edd George, Tom Walker, J. L. Hargrave, Labor Farris and three other St. Cloud people, besides Mr. Luther and Mr. Prather, who came from Kissimmee and joined the party, Mr. Prather killing one deer.

The party went to Big Bend, about fifteen miles south of the city.

Dr. Jim still contends that he is a real dear hunter, but he never shoots them.

If It Is Half So Good We Will Stay Forever

Muskegon Heights Mich., Feb. 2.
Editor Tribune:—

Enclosed find money order for 50 cents for three months' subscription to your paper, thanking you for sample copies. I must say you have the finest paper I ever saw for a city of the size and age of St. Cloud. We enjoyed it so much as it has been our desire for the past to come to your city, but the death of my husband last winter prevented it. Think surely myself and niece will be there this year and no doubt make it our permanent home. If it is even one-half as good as it seems to us we will be more than well pleased, for we are tired of these cold winters.

My husband was a veteran of the Civil war, 27th Mich. Vol. Inf.

Thanking you again for your courtesies, we are

Sincerely,
Mrs. Julia M. Sellman.

Mrs. M. W. Smith, of Washington, D. C., who has been stopping with Mr. and Mrs. Stebbins for the past two months left on Friday for her home.

Osceola County Wins

Thirty Prizes At Tampa Fair

THE following telephone message was received by the Tribune this morning from B. E. Evans, in charge of the Osceola County Exhibit at the South Florida Fair now being held at Tampa:

"OSCEOLA COUNTY has been awarded Twenty First Prizes, nine second prizes, one third prize and one worthy mention."

OLD VETS POINT SIXTY-SEVEN FOOT FLAG POLE HEAVENWARD

On Friday last, at one o'clock, the old veterans assembled en masse at the corner of their new hall, and with all the ceremony and trimmings necessary to the august occasion they proceeded to place their new flag pole in position. The shrill notes of the fife and the roll of the drums made the old fellows throw out their chests and square up their shoulders, and as the flag pole began to rise delight could plainly be seen written on every face.

These old boys in blue never seem to figure on dying, but are constantly thinking and planning new things for the good of St. Cloud just as though they knew they would live forever, and the Tribune surely wishes that all of them could do so, for they are a splendid bunch of fellows and have builded a fine city here to live in, and no doubt will be in the front row of citizens in the "City not made with hands."

This fine flagpole was discovered growing in a swamp in Osceola county and was cut down, skinned, painted and then erected to hold Old Glory far above the battlements of the Grand Army Hall. The pole stands sixty-two feet above the sidewalk, and is crowned with a large ball.

When the pole was going up, our progressive citizen and storekeeper, Bert Durham, who is ever alive to the benefits he and his city derive from advertising, placed a dollar on the top of the pole for whoever climbed up and got it. Young Godwin waited until the cement in which the pole is set hardened and then went up and brought down the coin.

FLORIDA ORANGES IN CALIFORNIA CAPTAIN FROST SHIPPED FRUIT

Masonic Home, Decoto, Cal.
January 26, 1916.

S. J. Triplett, Editor Tribune.

Dear Sir:—I see in your paper that Wells-Fargo Express Co. have a special rate from California on oranges, nuts, etc., to Florida and other places. I want a few of your best oranges to show the people here what you have there in that line. I am sending you in this letter postoffice money order for two dollars, which I wish you would give to some one in your city and tell them to express to me here what they can for two dollars, and oblige,

Yours respectfully,
David Johnson.

The two dollars were turned over to Capt. L. D. Frost with the request that he send a good sample of Florida oranges to this California gentleman. Capt. Frost found that the express company would not take Florida oranges to California because California will not admit them. He then made up a package of choice fruit consisting of Florida seedless, Duncan and common grapefruit, also Florida navel, seedlings, Jaffa and common oranges; also some kumquats and tangerines.

The postage was $1.68, so the captain receives 32 cents for the fruit and the labor of driving out to his grove and preparing the package. But St. Cloud has a good sample of her citrus fruit in California.

AT the meeting of the county commissioners held this day, the petition of the citizens praying that an election be ordered held in this, the Third Commissioner's District, declaring it a separate road district and authorizing a bond issue of $150,000 to build a sand-asphalt road from the canal two miles west of St. Cloud, through St. Cloud, with spur to Narcoossee to the Brevard County line, was granted, and election called for Saturday, March 11.

Stock Reducing Sale

On account of the very warm winter season, we have a large stock of Heaters on hand which we do not want to carry over the summer. We have decided to get you to do it for us if possible by offering them to you at 20% discount.

20 Per Cent Discount

This reduction is equal to 30% interest on your money for one year. Our regular price on these stoves was from $1.75 to $12. During this sale we can not set up the stoves nor give any free pipe, but will deliver them in the city.

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Notice

My wife, Mrs. C. H. Burdsall, has brought to my home, without my knowledge or consent, her grandchild, who is blind, and I hereby notify the public that I will no longer be responsible for any debts contracted by Mrs. C. H. Burdsall.

(Signed.) C. H. Burdsall.

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The Wheelbarrow Bet

One of the effects of the good roads movement has been to discourage the making of wheelbarrow election bets. In the old days, when city streets were paved with nice, round cobblestones and "niggerheads," and the country highways were either corduroy or ruts, it was fine sport to wheel a trumphant bettor a few miles over the bumps. Has it ever occurred to you that the winner of a wheelbarrow bet was invariably the loser? No? Then you never won such a bet and had to ride in the barrow. It is true that the loser is supposed to cut the ridiculous figure, but how can a man appear triumphant or even comfortable, seated in a vehicle designed to hold nothing with more legs than bricks? At the end of the first one hundred yards of the ride the winner would give a $10 bill to change places with the loser. The latter always would pick out the deepest ruts, the hardest rocks and the roughest spots over which to trundle his suffering victor. At the end of such a ride the winner was thoroughly jellied and in such a condition that he did not know whether he was flavored with lemon or vanilla. He knew, however, that a thorough search would reveal the fact that he appeared to be stained in some places with a rich plum tint. But good roads have spoiled all this. There is no fun in trying to shake a friend to pieces over smooth asphalt streets or level macadam. The good old times are passing away,thank Heaven.

It Happened In Reading

S. Wisser, of Reading, Pa., last summer made himself a rustic table, using the limbs of a willow tree for the legs. When he went out into his yard the last warm spell he found that the legs had sprouted, that buds were beginning to show, and that roots had formed where the feet of the table entered the ground. Mr. Wisser did not dig up the table and carry the pieces around to curious friends at the cigar store, the druggist's and the newspaper office. No sir, he's a man of sense. He is letting the table grow. There hardly will be anything much doing this fall, but in a few years why should not he go out in his back yard and pick off a nice, ripe dining table from the tree? What is to prevent him from plucking a nice billiard table to help while away the long winter evenings? Even before fall there probably will be a few little kitchen tables, or perhaps a small fancy table or two, just the thing to fill odd corners in the parlor. There is nothing like having a table-tree in one's own back yard. But they cannot be grown everywhere. There is something about the soil in southeastern Pennsylvana which gives that section a practical monopoly on the table-tree and other kindred industries. A South Bethlehem manufacturer sent over for a sample of the soil from Mr. Wisser's back yard the other day but when the Reading man learned that the manufacturer planned to set out a few cartridges in the soil and cultivate a lot of ammunition plants, he refused to let the soil be taken away. Mr. Wisser is strictly neutral.

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—BY REX—

Our county demonstrator is still the subject of urgent inquiry. We hear no reports from him and the only thing that can be ascertained beyond a doubt is that the county commissioners vote him one hundred dollars and expenses each month, and this at a time when an economical administration of our county affairs should be the guiding influence. It is admitted that the financial condition of our county is in a shape calculated to allow reasonable appropriations for legitimate purposes, and that the value of our real and personal property has increased with wonderful rapidity during the last few years and that our county house for the poor more than pays its own expenses. But with all this there is no reason why we should pay out more of the people's tax money than is absolutely essential to conduct the business, and if we expend $1,200 per year and the benefits derived do not equal the expense it would seem unwise to us the [illegible] salary. It would appear that Mr. Evans submits no report of his acts and doings, and if he is ever seen by our farmers we hear nothing of it. This won't do gentlemen of the Board of County Commissioners. If you can't in some way come nearer the people while you are using their money and give them a clear and distinct statement as to the purposes for which the money is expended you cannot expect their support in the future, and after being allowed to review your work after your term has expired what an unfortunate thing it would be if you were compelled to say: "What a fool I have been!" You may have the law to sustain you, but our legislators are like other men, liable to err, and the imperfectness with which all human laws are infected are certainly not lacking in our code, and every dime of unnecessary cost imposed by your board on the tax payers of this county is in violation of your oath of office. Think of it gentlemen? You are paying this man! Is it not reasonable, just and fair that each month you should demand of him a full report of that which he has done for the good and welfare of the county.

On Sunday, 30th Ult., Rex, by special invitaton from Mr. R. B. Ward, visited that gentleman's domicile and the nursery connected therewith, and although we have contended that industry and perseverence can accomplish almost anything that pertains to success in the farmer's business, we must confess the results on that place have far exceeded our most ardent expectations. Mr. Ward is from North Carolina, an experienced and skillful farmer, who has tried a number of localities since leaving his native state and gives his present abode as unqualifiedly the best adapted to truck farming of any locality he has as yet found. His place is located about one-half a mile north of Mabbett street, near the city line, and his truck farm extends to the big ditch, and on about two acres of land were found, in perfect order, more plants, trees, etc., than we had thought could be supported by the land under cultivation, but conclusive testimony of what could be produced was spread out before us with an abundance that was actually bewildering. His place is one of the most complete nurseries in this or any other county.

The family of P. P. Savage where Rex is domiciled, are in robust health and the esteemed lady of the house continues her faithful housewife services and is respected by all who come in contact with her. When Myrtle is accosted by Rex with the question, "Who killed the cat?" her response is "Who buried it?"

Professional fishermen are causing the waters to deliver up their increase to a profitable extent. Our lakes are a source of revenue which have to be only properly appreciated to insure success.

Oranges are rapidly disappearing. About nine-tenths of them have been sold at good substantial prices.

The potato crop has more than realized the expectations of its most ardent supporters, both in quantity and quality.

The little white church served by Rev. Farmer, is in good condition and well patronized.

The general health of the community is good. Hudson Bass has been afflicted with a severe case of grippe caused by unnecessary exposure, but appears some better at this writing.

Cattle have passed through the winter thus far with small loss. The range has been in fair condition.

The hogs are in their usual form, the four-legged especially.

Gardens are being prepared for the spring growth.

Candidates are beginning to look pop-eyed and are extending the ready hand to all comers. The city election, which will be held in March, is the first thing on the docket, and those interested in the good and welfare of the city tax payers will soon be in the field.

Our county officers are an efficient body and it is supposed that most, if not all of them, will be again on the racing list.

Holy Rollers are in this section making noise enough to cause the neighbors to believe that the God they worship is somewhat hard of hearing, and as we cannot understand their lingo we do not know but this may possibly be the case.

Saturday morning we found Mr. Lathrop, who lives on Bermuda avenue, picking strawberries. The crop is a fine one, and he had picked nearly a crate full of this delicious fruit. The cool spell had not injured them in any way, but on the contrary, had increased the flavor of the berry. The balance of the garden displayed abundant fruit of the fertility of the soil and the skill and industry of the gardener. We are informed that machinery for making brick from saw dust has been forwarded to this city and that a company employing a number of workmen are to be here in the course of a week or so. This it is said, will break up the H. I. P. brigade, or send them off to other quarters, as this company will offer employment to every idle man in town.

Hunters' Paradise has not yet produced results. The Belle of Bergen still continues to roam at will within the boundaries of its sacred precincts. Christmas revelries have left a brand on the brows of some of the beaux as efficacious as the Cain mark of old, and sufficient time has not elapsed to erase it in the minds of the belles.

The democratic rooster still lives in the full enjoyment of his tadpole and minnow plantation. The former are more numerous than the latter but the flavor declaration has not yet been decidedly pronounced in favor of either.

Success to the Tribune. We wish for it and its distinguished editor the very best of success and fully appreciate the new form in which it appears.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Cuates, N. M., Feb. 2, 1916.

Editor Tribune:—

Enclosed find $1.50 to renew my subscription to your valuable paper. Wife and I expected to be in the Wonder City before this but circumstances prevented us. We hope to reach there before another winter. This has been a very mild winter here. C. W. Wood.

Mt. Healthy O., Feb. 2, 1916.

Editor Tribune:—

Find enclosed money order for $1.50 for another year's subscription to the Tribune. We want to keep in touch with the Wonder City as we are forced to stay at home this winter on account of Mr. Skillman's failing health. We enjoyed the privilege of being with the old veterans three winters and had planned to come this winter, when after buying our tickets Mr. Skillman's health broke down and we, of necessity, gave up the trip.

Very truly yours,

Mrs. I. N. Skillman.

NO ROOM HERE FOR KICKER BUT JOY AND WEALTH FOR BOOSTER

St. Cloud, Fla., Jan. 8, 1916.

Friend Gilman:—

Think perhaps another short letter from the Southland might be interesting, I will try and give you my view of Florida, especially of St. Cloud.

In the first place you must remember that this place has been settled a long while, yet its birth was only six years ago, when the Seminole Land and Investment Co. bought a large tract of wild land, caused it to be surveyed into city lots and five-acre tracts, selling the same for $50 per lot and tract. It was intended at first for an old soldier's colony, although any one could buy who wished, consequently the old soldiers got the lead and today they are largely in excess. The rush commenced about six years ago, and now it is a city that will compare favorably with those of a longer lease of life.

The land about St. Cloud is divided into sandy ridges just suited for the growing of citrus fruits. Then we have a black sandy soil, hard and compact suitable for garden truck, then a large quantity of land that is lower, a black alluvial soil, with considerable peat, which with proper cultivation is just the proper place to raise stock, as grass grows enormously. There is a native grass called Natal grass that is considered by a great many as a very valuable forage plant. A company is now being formed to experiment on a large scale, from five hundred to one thousand acres will be fitted this summer. Thus you see there is an opportunity for all classes except the kicker, there is no place here for him. I believe there is a grand and glorious future for the state of Florida, and St. Cloud in particular. We have the land, we have the climate, we have the means, and all that is lacking is the push and that is coming, as soon as the people get it out of their woolly heads that they can't sit around down town in their shirt sleeves and kick the country, but boost and push, then you will see things begin to move. Yet we are a big town now for a six-year-old. Hurrah for St. Cloud and Florida! Oh, I wish that I was only forty instead of eighty.

Well, good bye for this time, perhaps I may write again.—H. H. Mason, in the Friendship (Wis.) Reporter.

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ODD BITS OF NEWS

Menominee, Mich.—Elmer Gelstein fell from the top of the four-story sugar factory here, a distance of 70 feet from the ground, and escaped with a fractured wrist.

New York.—LeRoy Buckingham is the name of a ten-year-old boy who has just entered the Newtown High-school. He is the youngest pupil that ever passed the exams.

Appleton, Wis.—Herman Erb, president of the First National Bank, is an "U. T. C." fiend. He has not missed a performance of Uncle Tom's Cabin since he was a boy. He has seen the show 69 times.

Norton, Kan.—Ed Tucker, Norton's "hot potato," who has never worn an overcoat and usually scorns an ordinary jacket, passed through the recent zero spell admirably. He went about his ordinary work in his shirt-sleeves.

Live Oak, Cal.—Mrs. John Westfall picked up an old copy of Pilgrim's Progress which had lain untouched on the book shelves for years and found two $100 bills between the leaves. The money had been placed there years ago by her father and forgotten.

Columbus, Ohio.—An apple pie which won a prize of a bushel of apples at the O. S. U. apple show, was baked by a five-year-old cooking marvel, Esther Rae Johnson. She was pitted in the contest with seventy-five housewives and one man. The prize was a special one awarded for the excellent cooking.

St. Louis, Mo.—"Hands up!" The command came from one of two robbers who entered a saloon recently. The crowd at the bar raised their hands, all except one-armed Michael McCarthy. Then a pistol spoke and McCarthy dropped dead. When the robbers saw McCarthy's empty sleeve they fled panic-stricken.

Snapped Him Up

The manager of the commercial house was interviewing the applicants for the vacant position. A youth was required to solicit orders.

"Ahem!" he coughed pompously, as the first youth was shown in. "Your name is Brown, I believe?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, I have looked over your testimonials, and they are very good; your appearance too, is smart. But there is one question I should like to ask you. I presume you have never got into trouble of any kind?"

"Once, sir," replied the youth, "I did a month in jail."

The manager started to his feet. "I'm afraid," he began; "but wait," he added, "you have been straightforward in telling me. What was your offense?"

"I assaulted a man who wouldn't give me an order, sir," was the laconic response.

"Tom," said the manager to the door boy, "tell those others outside I'm suited."—Exchange.

The Comforters

"Some people have an idea that they comfort the afflicted when they groan over them."—The late T. De Witt Talmadge.

Some persons so o'er pious are
That, should a beggar come for alms,
They'd lift their voices up in prayer,
Or read a few selected Psalms;
They'd never speak a word of cheer,
Nor yet touch laughter's silver chord;
They would not even dare to smile
For fear they might offend the Lord.

And should a brother in distress,
In sickness, to their hearts appeal,
A hearty groan would solace give,
A croak surcharged with Christian zeal.
Of such sort were Job's comforters,
Who from the jug of sadness poured
Their counsel, fearful lest they, too
Might possibly offend the Lord.

The Lord a cheerful giver loves,
Whose goodness, like a welcome light
Shines out upon the weary world,
A candle burning in the night.
A smile costs nothing; quite as cheap
Is just a little friendly word,
And sunshine never yet was known
In our day to offend the Lord.

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By J. Y. PORTER, State Health Officer

"The Lord made food—the Devil made cooks!"

Whoever said that the first time probably was inspired by a poorly prepared meal, which impaired his digestive works, perhaps brought on a severe headache and perfectly justified his grouch against the cook.

Hundreds and thousands of dyspeptics since then would have repeated and re-echoed the words if they had realized that they owed a large share of their physical ailments and most of their mental troubles and worries to poor cooking.

But to have a good cook in the house, an essential preliminary is a mistress—the housekeeper—who is a good cook herself, for no one can boss a job right unless he or she, knows just how that job should be done. Perhaps that's the reason why so many charming women preside over beautiful homes—beautiful in front, in the parlor—but allow the kitchen to be a plague spot.

Domestic Science, in its many branches, is often the subject for discussion at some Women's Clubs. Exhaustive papers, elaborately culled from the cook book or other authoritative literature, are written and read by women, who in more intimate circles quietly remark that they couldn't make a loaf of bread and don't know how it should be made. The most practical acquaintance with domestic science is gained only in the home, where the housekeeper with bared arms and mussed-up hair and flushed face is studying out chemistry of cooking in the laboratory of the kitchen. There the theories of the cook books are tested out and discarded if they don't work. Not until the mistress is in command of the situation, equal to all emergencies, qualified to meet them from her own practical experience, can she demand perfection from her servant.

"The proof of the pudding is in the eating," and most of the kitchen recipes are tried out, not on the dog but on the family.

The expert domestic scientist must be an expert in the selection of food for her table and equally an expert in its preparation. How many Florida housekeepers can qualify?

For answer, watch the crowds passing along the streets of any Florida city or village. From the closest examination of individuals, how many out of the average hundred appear in good health, strong and content? Not more than one-half.

Out of the other half how many do you suppose are victims of insufficient nutrition or malnutrition? Probably more than half. Either they do not have enough food of the right kind, or what they have is improperly cooked. For it is possible, even common, that a person may eat a large amount of food, yet receive insufficient nutrition, because it isn't the right kind of food for that particular individual, or the food that he eats habitually may be ruined in its preparation and much of its nourishing possibilities may be wasted by improper cooking.

What troubles come from the mistakes of cooks, from the unhappiness of the young wife because her table isn't what hubby's mother used to set, to the suffering of the old roue whose stomach couldn't take care of a raw oyster without doubling him up with pain!

Food should be selected in proper variety, the fruits, vegetables meats and bread stuffs. But it's rather straining a point to make a chemical laboratory of the stomach by insisting on any certain proportions of protein and caloric contents. That belongs to the sanitarium, where food is administered like medicine, with a dropper.

Normally healthy people are entitled to have their meals palatable, pleasing to the taste, to the eye and to the smell, and to have enough for such people stop eating when they have had enough.

But what is the fault with Florida cooking?

An important fault is due to the employment very generally of negro cooks who delight in the generous use of grease. They spoil a fine steak by frying it in grease in addition to the fat of the steak itself. It comes to the table dripping with this grease and what is left in the frying pan is carefully saved for the next time. It becomes rancid and false economy uses it over again. Do such things happen in your kitchen? Probably not, but watch and see for yourself.

The rich juices of meats are smothered by this grease and much of the nourishment is lost. Fish, oysters, and many meats and foods must be fried in grease, but there is such a thing as too much even of grease. But what's the matter with grease in food? Too much of it! It is difficult to digest. It must be broken up before it can be digested by the secretions from the liver and the pancreas. The process is slow and an excess of greasy substance in the food imposes an unnecessary burden on the digestive system, resulting in a general sluggishness of the entire physical body and finally in permanent disability.

Feeding is a good deal of a science. Some one once said that the way to a man's heart lies through his stomach. Certain it is that along the same route lies the health, the normal activity and normal development of the child. It's up to the mothers of Florida.

PNEUMONIA

(From U. S. Public Health Service.)

Ten per cent of the deaths in the United States result from pneumonia. It is estimated that during the past thirty days this rate has been doubled in some sections. Tuberculosis and heart disease, each causing one-ninth of all fatalities, are the only diseases which outrank pneumonia among the legion of the men of of death, but in certain cities pneumonia is steadily increasing and even has surpassed the mortality from tuberculosis. Seventy percent of all cases occur between December and May. It is distinctly a cold weather infection, seemingly brought by the wintry blasts, but especially prevalent during the winter season only because its victims are rendered more susceptible at that time by exposure, debilitating influences and the presence of predisposing infections.

Pneumonia principally affects those at the extremes of life, but no age is exempt. It's invariably a germ disease. The predisposing and exciting organisms are so numerous that it would be futile to attempt their enumeration. Many of them are constantly present in the mouths and throats of healthy persons and it is only through the aid which we unwittingly extend to them that they are transformed from harmless organisms to one of man's most powerful enemies.

The presence of other diseases is the great predisposing cause of pneumonia. They prepare the soil for invasion. Holding first rank in this category is influenza, the increased incidence of pneumonia at this time being largely due to the present epidemic of la grippe. Individuals suffering from this infection are peculiarly susceptible to respiratory complications and should properly observe every hygienic rule. Inflammation of the upper air passages pharangitis, bronchitis, and tonsilitis, often predispose to the development of the disease, particularly among the aged and infirm. The acute contagious diseases of childhood, more especially measles and whooping cough, frequently prepare the way for pneumonia. Anyone who through neglect or carelessness permits the spread of these infections is therefore open to the severest condemnation. Exhausting diseases of whatever nature, is often sufficient to so reduce our resistance that we are unable to cope with organisms which should be easily overcome, and hence predisposes to the infection.

Debility either temporary or chronic, developing from any cause, increases susceptibility. Because of this the disease most often attacks those at the extremes of life. Among debilitating influences must be mentioned cold, exposure to penetrating winds, and the chilling of body surfaces as a result of body wetting. The combination of lack of food and fatigue proves particularly disastrous during the winter season and is a condition to be avoided wherever possible. Bad housing, mental or physical harassment, and overwork are alike the advance agents of the infection. Overcrowding in street cars, theatres, and other public places is unquestionably in part responsible for the spread of pneumonia in cities, as far greater opportunity is thus offered for the dissemination of the predisposing diseases through indiscriminate coughing and others means of droplet infection, as well as the directly injurious effects which invariably result from exposure to such environment. The overheating of rooms is also seemingly harmful. Promiscuous expectoration may be, and probably is, a factor in infection and consequently should be avoided by every citizen. A remaining most important agent should be mentioned—alcohol. It is in truth the handmaiden of pneumonia, and there is none more certain or more sure of success, especially if liberally and continuously used.

While the foregoing facts constitute in part our knowledge of the reasons for the wide-spread dissemination of an infection which carries with it a mortality of from ten to thirty per cent, it should be remembered that our scientific data are not yet complete. There are problems connected with immunity predisposition, and the occurence of epidemics which are yet to be solved. It is known that pneumonia frequently attacks those who are perfectly well, and who apparently have observed every hygienic rule. Whether this is due to the increased virulence of the organism or to other causes is unexplained. It is, however, recognized that avoidance of the factors so briefly enumerated will in large part diminish individual susceptibility and therefore the incidence of the disease.

NO MORE MICHIGAN FOR ME OR MINE, FLORIDA FOREVER--FURNER

Ada, Michigan, Jan. 31, 1916.

Editor Tribune:—

Enclosed find $1.50 for renewal of my subscription for the year 1916. How is everything in St. Cloud this winter? I wish that I could be with you and enjoy some of your sunshine, but it cannot be this winter, as I have been in bed since the 10th day of October with a severe case of rheumatism, but hope to be with you next winter if I am able to get there, and if I ever get there NO MORE WISCONSIN FOR ME OR MY FAMILY.

I have a nice home on Maryland avenue and I wish that I was there with you and enjoying what belongs to me—health, sunshine and flowers.

Yours very truly,

Arthur E. Furner,

Co. K, 8th N. Y. V. Cav.

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Oh Woman!

Oh, woman, in thine hours of ease,
Uncertain, coy and hard to please, why
do you always make complaint and
yearn to be just what you ain't? Why
is it, pray, if you are lean as is the
pole where twines the bean, you'll
send away for this and that and
t'other thing to make you fat? And
why, if you are round and plump, do
you prefer to roll and jump, and
chortle with a gleeful sound, if you
take off but half a pound. And why,
if nature you has blessed with hair as
black as ravens' breast will you for
the peroxide reach and souse your
tresses in the bleach? Pray, tell me
why, if you were born with yellow
locks like ripened corn you'll never
rest until your head is frescoed black
or brown or red. Oh, charming one,
is it your lot to never like what you
have got, but strive with drug and
dye and paint to be the very thing
you ain't?—E. F. McIntyre.

Happy Days

Oh, happy was the childhood hour
When father paid the bills
And left us free to grasp the flower
That blossomed on the hills!
Those were the days in which we took
No thought of taxes high
Nor feared the grafter or the crook
Who might be drawing nigh.
Three meals per day were always there,
So was the dwelling place.
We thought that father's greatest care
Was simply to say grace.
And so we wandered light and free,
Without a trace of woe.
Each had no thoughts save those of glee
Unless he stubbed his toe.
Now greater wisdom bids us pause,
And grateful memory thrills.
We were so happyp then because
Dear father paid the bills.

—Washington Star.

AN ANIMAL FAMILY

"Everybody in our family is some kind of an animal," remarked Tommy

"What do you mean?" remarked his mother.

"Why mother, you're a dear, you know."

"Yes, Tommy."

"The baby is mother's little lamb, I'm the kid; sister is some chicken, Aunt is a cat and Cousin Kate is a bird; Uncle Jim is an ass, and little brother's a pig. Dad's the goat; and—"

"That is enough, Thomas."—Ex

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Gall In The Superlative Degree

Every once in so often we run up against a man or men whose bodies are composed of ninety-nine per cent gall and one per cent ego, but on Thursday of last week a delegation of "leading" citizens from Kissimmee were in St. Cloud, and after learning their mission, we are of the belief that the ingredients of their make-up is composed of ninety-nine and nine-tenths gall and the remaining tenth just plain saw dust.

Several months ago, after years of agitation by the Tribune, the citizens of St. Cloud met and decided to bond this commissioner's district for the sum of $150,000 to build a sand-asphalt road from the canal, two miles west of St. Cloud, through St. Cloud to the Brevard county line, there joining the road that leads to Melbourne, on the East Coast. The petition was circulated and the requisite number of names secured, asking the county commissioners to call an election to that end. That petition was presented to the commissioners at their meeting in January, but had to lie over one month before the election could be called. The commissioners are in session today for that purpose.

Now, the people of Kissimmee began to put on their thinking caps and take a hand in the game, and immediately set about holding meetings and putting up big talk in huge bunches—saying we want roads—a brick road from Kissimmee to the Polk county line, a brick road from Kissimmee to St. Cloud, and a dirt road from St. Cloud to the Brevard county line—BUT, we want the people of the whole county to pay the bill.

When this proposition was presented to the people of this district they said "No! Not on your life, we will build our own roads in our own way and pay our own bills. You people of districts one and two go and do likewise."

But it takes more than one call-down to phase a Kissimmeeite. Last week a meeting of "leading" citizens was held in that city with a sweet and dulcet name, and a committee was appointed to come to St. Cloud and request the committee having our road matter in charge to undo all the work of the people of this road district, to chunk that road petition in the trash heap and join forces with Kissimmee and ask for a county bond issue to build roads.

The committee came to St. Cloud on Thursday of last week, but were exceedingly careful to steer clear of the Tribune. This Kissimmee committee called on our St. Cloud committee and respectfully requested them to "lay down, get off the job, give up the ghost and quit doing anything along the line of bonding this district—to come into the family (Kissimmee) fold and take orders and do those things and only those things that the wise guys of Kissimmee ordered done—in other words, to permit this district to be buncoed out of money with which to build a brick road from Kissimmee to the Polk county line and from Kissimmee to St. Cloud." That in a nutshell, is the proposition that delegation of Kissimmee gallites made to our committee.

Of coure our committee "put out the lights" of the visiting gentlemen before they even got into high gear—first, because the St. Cloud committee had no authority in the matter, and second, because the proposition was without warrant of reason, common sense or business judgment. The proposition on its face showed it to be sired by prejudice and dammed by selfishness. It was an insult to the intelligence of our people.

The people of this district will vote bonds and build their own roads. Let the other districts do the same. We have no fight with them, but we will resent insolent interference from any one at any time. St. Cloud can and will take care of itself without the interference of any outsider.

Th proposition of the Kissimmee committee was certainly a display of gall in the superlative degree.

Tampa

For the past four days we have endeavored to determine what was the principal thing done, said or acted in Tampa during our visit there Friday and Saturday last, and have come to the conclusion that the "stunt" pulled off by the Oracle of Okeechobee at the Rotary breakfast leads the list of all the good things we enjoyed.

One among the many trite questions propounded to the Oracle was, "What is to prevent Jacksonville becoming the metropolis of Florida?" and the Oracle promptly replied, "Tampa." And in that answer there is a whole lot more truth than sentiment.

Tampa possesses an asset that would make a great city out of any hamlet, no matter how many disadvantages it possessed, and that asset is hospitality, friendship, and cordiality. There is that homey feeling in Tampa to a greater extent than can be found in any other big city in the land, and that magnet will draw more residents than all the climate, soil, and healthful conditions ever vouchsafed to man.

There was a time, and that time was not so long ago, that the business men in this section went to Jacksonville to purchase goods, but today you ask a merchant where he trades and he will answer, "Tampa," and his reason for doing so is that he feels more at home with the people of that city, that he gets the best of goods at the lowest possible price, that the business men there are always courteous kind and considerate, and besides it feels more like keeping money at home to buy from Tampa merchants.

It has been our pleasure to visit Tampa at least once a year for the past eight years, and on every return trip we are astonished at its marvelous growth and development. Today one can take ship to practically any American port, and within the next two years we expect to find lines of steamers docking there from every known foreign port.

Tampa, although possessing one of the finest of harbors and having the best of railroad facilities, is no more advantageously situated than many other sea coast towns with only a few thousand inhabitants. It is the character of the people who live in Tampa that has made it a great city and will make it the greatest city in the South, bar none. With two such splendid papers as the Tribune and the Times, its cigar output of more than a million a day, with a live Board of Trade, a Rotary Club, a mayor of massive intellect and splendid business judement, who knows what is right and has the nerve to do it, and seventy thousand boosters to back up any project looking to Tampa's good, nothing can stay its progress to the top of the ladder.

Certainly the Oracle was right when he said Tampa would prevent Jacksonville becoming the metropolis of Florida.

Editorialettes

All Florida was honored by the presence last week of Sam Gompers—the grandest man living today.

We are glad to learn that Willis Powell will not leave Florida. He is one of our state's biggest assets.

The editors who failed to attend the Rotary breakfast missed the grandest entertainment ever given the editors of Florida.

And now it's Arkansas that suffers from floods. It seems the only way to escape floods, tornadoes and fires is to come to Florida.

Triplett has sold a shoat and is going to blow in the proceeds at the Tampa Fair. Triplett was blamed lucky to own a shoat.—Macclenny Standard.

Why is the St. Cloud Tribune about three times as good as the average country weekly? Because its editor is a Triplett, of course.—Manatee Record.

All Florida, and especially the editors mourn with R. J. Holly in the loss of his best friend—his mother—who passed into eternal sleep last Tuesday morning.

Kissimmee may throw sawdust in the eyes of the people at Bassenger and Whittier and make them believe it's gold dust, but it takes red pepper to blind a St. Cloud man.

News comes that Kitchener is to go to the front. The English certainly need some one at the front who understands fighting, if they hope to keep the Germans out of London.

Bassenger is only ninety-eight miles from Kissimmee. Still Kissimmee wants Bassenger to help pay for a brick road from Kissimmee to the Polk county line. Splendid idea—for Kissimmee.

Is it possible these Kissimmeeites can be so dense as to believe the people of Whittier and Bassenger will stand for a tax levy to build a brick road from Kissimmee to the Polk county line?

It has been our pleasure on numbers of occasions to be the guest of hotels in the great cities, but for perfectness of service, in every line, the Tampa Bay Hotel is far and beyond and above the list.

Editor Triplett, of St. Cloud, is bragging about a seventeen pound radish. Triplett is quite a farmer on the side. He has recently sold a hog and states that he will use the money to attend the Rotary breakfast in Tampa.—Macclenny Standard.

We are in receipt of a handsomely printed pamphlet descriptive of Leesburg. It is from the press of the Commercial, and would be a credit to any printing office in the great cities. Gilbert Leach is making Leesburg one of Florida's prominent cities.

And our own Wallace Stovall, ne of the Tampa Tribune, Florida's greatest morning daily, has been made a colonel on the Kentucky governor's staff. That's nothing—he's been a colonel, and a darned good one, to us Crackers for lo these many, many years.

Triplett, of the St. Cloud Tribune, tells a "couplet" in his last paper, saying that one reader had presented him with a tomato weighing seventeen ounces and another had given him a radish that weighed seventeen pounds and ten ounces. Ah, well! in our young days, we could tell such tales too and nobody believed them.—Punta Gorda Herald.

J. N. Johnston writes to the editor of the St. Cloud Tribune that "he gained three pounds" because of his removal to St. Cloud. Let's see; at 40c the pound there's a total gain of $1.20. But how much did it cost the man to get there.—Thorn, in Palm Beach Post.

Editor Triplett of the St. Cloud Tribune, is in the city. Mr. Triplett prints one of the best weeklies in Florida, and it is constantly improving in appearance and contents.—Tampa Tribune.

Sam Triplett, who edits the St. Cloud Tribune for pleasure and entertains friends as a matter of business, is becoming so popular that a movement has been inaugurated to hold the next democratic national convention in the city of Grand Army veterans. "Trip" certainly is "there" with the eloquent palaver, as was shown by his impromptu speech at the Rotary press breakfast. He's a good scout and we're indeed glad he's climbing in every way.—Tampa Times. Thanks, Huff, good old scout, for your kind words, but for heaven's sake get my name right, which is Stonewall Jackson Triplett.

A USEFUL PUBLICATION

Editor Triplett, of the St. Cloud Tribune, says that some friend in Washington has placed him on the list for the Congressional Record, and he does not want it. The Record is a useful article, Mr. Triplett. Save fifty or sixty issues and they will keep the fire going for a day. They heat Kansas for being dry.—Macclenny Standard. On the contrary, the Congressional Record is a valuable document. It contains every word spoken in both Houses of Congress. It has many speeches, good, bad and indifferent, abounding in arguments for and against every measure, and important reports vital and otherwise, to American welfare. It is bulky, it is true, but it has to be to contain the best spoken efforts of four hundred representative Americans.—Florida Record.

WHAT DO I THINK OF ST. CLOUD? "AN EARTHLY GARDEN OF EDEN"

(By Dwight Charles Harris.)

Coming from a state where the temperature was eighteen degrees below zero only a few days before I left home, and where the ground still is covered with snow and ice, what else could I say except that it is a land of marvels and the nearest to Eden I shall ever see until I go to the reward waiting on the other side of Jordan for every faithful newspaper man.

I am not a farmer, and I am about as familiar with soils as I am with the nebular hypothesis of the solar system, therefore I am not competent to discuss the agricultural possibilities of this state. However I have a good vision, and the orange groves I have seen in this vicinity seem decidedly superior to groves I have seen in other sections. My hearing is good, and I have heard many northern men say that they will never live anywhere except in St. Cloud. Ever since I have been here I have been tasting your wonderful fruits, and I feel—well, if I felt any better strangers might think me artificially exhilarated, and since I come from a dry state that would be embarassing.

So, if by seeing, hearing, tasting, smelling and feeling I am convinced that Florida, and particularly St. Cloud, is an earthly Eden, surely I'm convinced. I came to St. Cloud in a skeptical frame of mind. Somehow I believed that the stories of the wonderful productions of the country were ninety per cent bunk, and expected to find the climate fair enough but not of the balmy yet exhilarating atmospheric condition you have here. If level-headed business and professional men of my city are so thoroughly convinced of the future of Osceola county that they not only spend as much time here as they can spare, but buy land here and expect to remain here, why shouldn't that convince me that Florida is all that she seems? If Drs. S. G. and J. G. Stewart had never come to St. Cloud, the place probably would never have been more than a name to us. But with their account of the community we came and found it more pleasing than we believed it could be.

I am an intensely loyal Kansan, and I doubt that I will ever live anywhere except in my native state, but if ever I do, believe me, my home will be in Florida, and on the "backbone" of the state.

School Holiday Friday, Feb. 18

The school board, at its regular session Monday, decided to grant the school children of the county a holiday Friday, February 18th, that they may attend the Orlando Fair. The 18th is Osceola County Day at the fair, when thousands of our people will be there, and this acton of the board is not only just to the children, but will be a source of education to them. The board might have gone a step farther and furnished each child with a round-trip ticket to Orlando and entrance fee to the fair.

Peter Lamb Grows Lettuce 30 in. 'Round

On Missouri avenue lives a gentleman, one Peter Lamb, and he knows something about lettuce, for this week he brought to the Tribune office a head of lettuce thirty inches in circumference, which he grew in his garden. Mr. Lamb says you can's grow this stuff unless you wear a hickory shirt and a "wamus." What "wamus" are we don't know, but we do know that Mr. Lamb grew the lettuce as he does a lot of other garden truck.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

National City, Cal., Feb. 2, 1916.
Editor Tribune:—

Enclosed find my personal check for one dollar, for which please send me your paper for a year. I have been a subscriber to your paper in past years and since dropping it have had trouble in knowing to whom to pay the many kinds of taxes you have in your country. We contemplate a visit to St. Cloud next winter and would like once more to come in touch with the doings of people through your paper. We always enjoyed reading it, the more so when we were living in the frozen north.

You will greatly oblige me if after April 1 of this year, you will send the paper to Excelsior, Minn., as we plan returning about that time.

Thanking you in advance, I remain,

Respectfully,

Beatrice Shuman.

St. Cloud, Fla., Feb. 8, 1915.
Editor Tribune:—

I received some grapefruit Saturday morning for the purpose of sending to Ohio. The fruit was brought in by Comrade Carpenter, a veteran of the 7th Ky. Cavalry. They were the largest and finest I have seen since landing in Florida. They were grown on Comrade Carpenter's orange and grapefruit farm east of town, for which I return my sincere thanks.

Yours truly,

J. K. P. Ferrell.

READING THE ST. CLOUD TRIBUNE HELPS KEEP US FROM FREEZING

Worthing, S. D., Feb. 4, 1916.
Editor Tribune:—

Enclosed find money order for $1.50 for renewal of subscription to the St. Cloud Tribune. We wish we were out of this arctic climate. We are having severe winter weather, lots of snow on the ground and snowing at this writing. When our friends complain about cold we tell them to subscribe to the Tribune and read it on cold days and be warm. We have been to St. Cloud, and know a little about it. We are just waiting to get our affairs adjusted here and get down with you.

Yours truly,

James Madden.

Illman & West's Golden Rule Grocery and Bakery

"STORE NEWS" LETTER

ST. CLOUD, FLORIDA

In our "Store News" letter of last week we promised to tell you in our next letter about the Grocery Department. Well, during the past week we have added to our stock as follows:

Rochester, New York, Pure Maple Syrup

Purity Rolled Oats — Cereals — Canned Goods

Meal and Feeds — Pure Lard and Compounds

Bacon and Salt Meats

We have just secured the sole agency for a new blend of coffee, The Rotary Club. We advise you to try it. We also carry The White House, Tampa Belle and other choice brands of coffee.

We have secured during the week a large consignment of choice Maine grown potatoes.

We have a small lot of Mrs. Jacques' delicious St. Cloud made marmalade and jelly. You had better get what you want at once, as there will be no more to be obtained after this small supply is exhausted, until our cannery gets busy.

We are receiving daily fresh eggs, vegetables and berries, all home products. We desire to emphasize the fact that we are going to buy at home all we can handle. You have kept us on the jump the past week, supplying your wants. We confess we rather like to be kept busy.

The Doughnut Oven arrived last Wednesday and since then we have been called on for about 100 doz. a day of the best doughnuts made in Florida.

In our "Store News" letter of last week we promised to write about spraying Irish potatoes. Well, we wish to impress on you the fact that if you wish to succeed, you must spray with Bordeaux Mixture. We can supply you with small or large quantities. This mixture is a fungicide for curing and preventing fungoid diseases on fruits and plants. For citrus fruits we can supply you with fertilizers in lots of 5 lbs. up. We can also supply you with lime sulphur solution to be used in spraying for purple scale and rust mites.

Come and tell us your wants. If we haven't got what you want, we will get what you want.

WHY NOT DO LIKE THE REST, CALL ON

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PHONE NO. 13 — FOR THE BEST

NOTE: Howard Baker won the dollar offered last week. Howard rushed into the store at 5 P. M. yelling, "You put too much T in doughnuts." On the quiet Howard would not have been first had it not been for Mrs. Baker's insistence.

THE LAST NUMBER OF ALKAHEST LYCEUM COURSE FEBRUARY 17

W. Powell Hale, impersonator, at G. A. R. Hall, Thursday, February 17, at 8 p. m.

In announcing an attraction it is a pleasure indeed to be able to assure our patrons that he is all, in full measure, that we claim for him. Such an attraction is Mr. W. Powell Hale, the Impersonator. Mr. Hale is a college bred man, and has taken special university work. He is also a graduate of the leading schools of expression. He taught oratory for four years; but the demand upon his time for platform work was so great that he abandoned teaching and has since devoted his time to the lyceum. He has had such remarkable success in lyceum work and has grown so wonderfully in popularity that he is today without a superior in his chosen and congenial field of endeavor.

Mr. Hale is so simple and natural in style and so unaffected in manner as to gain easy and instant entree into the good will of the audience. He is an artist in all the term implies, and his past brilliant and successful seasons with us justify us in presenting him to our numerous patrons in the absolute faith that he will never fail to "make good."

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Mr. Hale's repertoire includes in miscellany selections from Shakespeare, Hood, Poe, Schiller, Lew Wallace, Mary Kyle, Dallas, Riley, Field, Brooks, Ella Wheeler Wilcox, Dickens, Phelps, Frances Hodgson Burnett, Page, Artemus Ward, Mark Twain, Bagby, King, Stanton, John Trotwood Moore, Tennyson, Original Selections, etc.

In monologue Dickens' matchless yuletide story, "A Christmas Carol;" "Esmeralda," the beautiful four-act play written by Mrs. Frances Hodgson Burnett, and Thomas Nelson Page's "Mars Chon." Mr. Hale presents "A Christmas Carol" so that the different characters stand forth as clearly outlined as if taken by clever actors.

Tickets on sale at Durham's Department Store. 4t-tf

Mrs. Francis Colvin Gets Unique Surprise

On last Monday about fifteen or twenty friends of Mrs. Francis Colvin, widow of the late Homer Colvin, ex-mayor of this city, gave her a great surprise on her birthday. She went out shopping and on her return, behold, there was a great banquet on long tables on her spacious piazza, and it was a feast fit for the gods. After the repast a pleasant afternoon was passed. Mr. C. G. Cooper, of Iowa gave several of his many happy recitations and Mrs. C. H. Woodbury, of Vermont, gave several pleasant pieces; also Mr. A. Blunt, of Chicago, and Mrs. J. B. Pike, of Illinois.

Among the guests were Mr. J. B. Pike, of Illinois; Mr. and Mrs. S. Rodgers, of Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. J. Espey, Mrs. DeLong, and Colvin Parker, of this city.

Handsome Leather Chair Presented to Bride and Groom

A few friends broke into the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Porter while they were at the picture show, and when the bride and groom came in they were made welcome in their own home by the house breakers. But to make things right a handsome leather chair had been placed in the parlor and festivites arranged for which were kept up until a late hour. Each of the intruders had donned clothing belonging to the bride and groom, and it was indeed a grotesque spectacle. All declare it a most happy occasion. The affair occurred last Monday night.

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WE HAVE A STANDING ORDER FOR **Mutton** every Friday. WESTERN BEEF and PORK twice every week.

WHICH WILL BE YOUR CHOICE For Today or Tomorrow? **TELL US BY PHONE** We're Anxious to Know. Phone No. 56

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LOCAL PERSONAL SOCIAL

Fire insurance, taxes, A. E. Drought.

Dr. and Mrs. Dunlap are spending the day in Kissimmee.

Wells of all kinds; terms reasonable. See John H. Armstrong, Box 70. 18-tf

There was a woman deaf mute beggar in the city Tuesday. Did you fall for her slick talk?

Big scream picture at Palm Theatre Friday night. 24-1t

Don't fail to see the art exhibit in the Peckham building. The Ladies' Improvement Club is in charge.

Ladies' Rain Coats for $4.98, at Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

The Woman's Relief Corps tells us that the service at their dinner on February 17 will be the best ever.

A bargain in real estate. Inquire of W. E. Warner. 20-22-24p

The Ladies' Improvement Club has a magnificent exhibition of art goods in the Peckham building, on New York avenue.

Children's Rain Capes and Hoods, $1.69, at Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

Illman and West are printing a series of interesting "Store News" letters each week in their advertisement.

J. E. Daenell and wife left Saturday night for Tampa, where Mr. Daenell has accepted a position in a drug store.

Three reels "Passion Play," tomorrow night at Palm Theatre. 24-1t

Comrade Glenn was swamped under a shower of birthday cards last Tuesday. He had been confined to his home for a long time, but his friends did not forget his birthday when it came around.

Jerry Curry arrived by auto from Peeksville, N. Y., by way of Kissimmee, Monday night. He said he was tired of shoveling snow, and when asked if he was glad to get here he replied: "Don't you know it; look at this weather." He will be here all winter.

The latest importations in spring and summer milinery at reasonable prices, just in from New York; also a fine line of Panama hats. Wescott's, New York avenue. We also handle the Elmo Sisters' famous toilet preparations. 21-tf

G. A. R. HALL

Friday, Feb. 11, 1916

The Three-Act Musical Comedy

"THE CATCH OF THE SEASON"

Will Be Given By The

LADIES' IMPROVEMENT CLUB

Cast

Mrs. Burks Winthrop .....
.....Mary Grace Ryan
Eleanor Carew .....Ruth Bass
Mabel Longwait ....Roxie Goodrich
Maude Randall ....Gladys Schofield
Alice Barrington ....Edith Williams
Constance Havemeyer Blanche Eaton
Flossie Wentworth ....Ruth Wylie
Kathleen O'Neil.....Edith Jeness
Rose Eastman .....Evadna Harris
Frances Haviland Adelia Williamson
Fred Dexter .....Roy Vandenbergh
Dick Newell .....Harry Todd
Felix Featherstone.....J. H. Booth
Bob Bolingbroke ...Lynn Daugherty
Tom Warren .....H. H. Saunders
Frank .....Harris Hulen
John Strong .....Earl Schofield

PLACE—Mrs. Winthrop's country home.

TIME—February 10th, 1916.

SYNOPSIS

ACT I—Morning. The millionaire "resolves to lead a bachelor's life no longer."

ACT II—Night. "And being deeply struck by you."

ACT III—Midnight. Takes the road to Paradise.

MUSIC

Pianist.....Mrs. Tidwell

ACT I—The Love Bug. You're Just the Girl I'm Looking For. Won't You Be My Girl.

ACT II—I'll Be There. Love Me. Is There Anything Else That I can Do For You? Where Do We Go From Here?

ACT III—Bump, Bump, Bump. Looking For the Lovelight in Your Eyes. Can't You See I Love You? The Love Bug.

The management wishes to acknowledge the courtesy of Ryan Brothers for the loan of furniture, and special lights from Mr. J. H. McCarthy.

Tickets 25c and 35c

On sale at the Seminole Pharmacy. Doors open 7:15; performance 8.

S. W. Porter, Real Estate, Insurance, Ground Limerock, at a very low rate. 9-tf

A. G. Bissell, from Vermont, is among the guests here this winter. He is delighted with the Wonder City.

Don't forget Bailey's Daily Transfer. Leaves St. Cloud 1 p. m.; leaves Kissimmee 2:30 p. m.; 50c per passenger, one way. 23-tf

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Thompson, of Granville, Ohio, arrived Thursday morning and will be in St. Cloud for several weeks.

Saturday Special—another big Aluminum Sale at Durham's Department Store. Choice of any article in the window 10 cents. 24-1t

Mrs. Bath and daughter, of Buffalo, N. Y., who are spending the winter in St. Cloud, went to Orlando today for a short stay.

The W. L. Douglas, Florsheim and Queen Quality Shoes. Best on earth. For sale by Josh. H. C. Stanford Company. 24-1t

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Salter, who are here for the winter, went this morning to Cuba, Key West, Tampa and other points south on a ten days' trip.

Tomorrow night there will be eight reels of the best film obtainable at the Palm Theatre. Don't miss it. 24-1t

M. E. Riggan is now in Tampa taking in the Gasparilla Carnival and Fair and purchasing a large stock of groceries to enable him to supply the demands made on him.

Just received full line of Men's, Women's and children's Hosiery—10c, 15c, 25c and 50c. Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

Mrs. T. M. Wright, of Illinois, and Miss H. E. Lewis, of New York, who are spending some time in Kissimmee, came down on Wednesday to see the Wonder City.

Hon. J. F. Latimer, of Abingdon, Ill., who came in several weeks ago, leaves on Saturday for a two weeks' stay in Tampa and St. Petersburg before returning to his northern home.

Speaking of Alligator Goods, you can do better at Durham's Department Store. Prices are right. 24-1t

Capt. L. D. Frost and wife and son, L. V. Frost, and daughter, Mrs. Purdy, were guests at the Tampa Bay Hotel for a part of the Gasparilla festivities. They are all well pleased with Tampa.

Mrs. M. D. Burner and Mrs. Sarah Wilson have just arrived in St. Cloud from Columbus, Ohio, for an extended visit with their sister, Mrs. C. B. Hughes, at her beautiful home, corner Massachusetts avenue and Fifteenth street.

Our old friend, Sid Porter, is now enjoying all the bliss of home life and is always happy and smiling. He and his wife are all fitted up comfortably in his fine apartments over his business office. Any man that could not be happy in such comfort doesn't deserve a wife. By-Uncle Sid's smiling face it is evident that he does deserve one.

Ladies' Rain Coats for $4.98, at Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

On Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Goodwin, of Boston, entertained a party of friends at the home of Mrs. Krepps, Pennsylvania avenue, where they are staying. A good, old-fashioned Boston baked beans dinner was served and relished by all, and particularly by those from the land of beans, who know beans and realize their virtue and are ever ready to stand up in their defence. After dinner a most pleasing social hour was spent.

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Our sanitary inspector, Dr. O. L. Buckmaster, had a complaint from Mr. Frank Philpott concerning the public school sanitation. The inspector took Mr. Philpott up to the school and it was found that conditions were first class. No doubt Mr. Philpott got his information from his child, and while it was doubtless reliable some time ago it was not correct this time. This goes to show that children cannot be relied upon for such matters but that parents should find out for themselves before making complaint.

Wanted, a young girl to do light housework; must sleep at home. Address A B C, Tribune. 24-1t

The last number of the Alkahest Lyceum Course will be at the G. A. R. hall, Thursday, February 27, at 8 p. m. Every number of this course has been high class and this, the last one, is expected to exceed all the rest. A brief synopsis of what you will see is on another page of this issue of the Tribune.

Brooms! Brooms! Brooms! A 35c broom for 29c. Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

Mr. C. W. Morsman went to Tampa last Monday on business. We think his business was to take in the Gasparilla Carnival.

G. W. Taylor, who conducted the news stand and sold cider, etc., has gone to Oregon. His business is being conducted by his deputy.

Just a few boys' suits at $1.79 and $2.95. Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

Mrs. H. D. Page, of Orlando, is spending the day in St. Cloud in the interest of the Children's Tubercular Society of the Double Red Cross.

W. Powell Hale, who will be the last attraction of the Alkahest Lyceum Course here, comes highly recommended. See him Thursday, February 17, at 8 p. m., at the G. A. R. Hall.

Mrs. Grace Warner arrived in the city yesterday morning from Brooklyn, N. Y., for an extended visit with her aunt, Mrs. J. E. Green, at their handsome home on Florida avenue, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.

Just received our new book of spring and summer samples of gents' tailor-made clothes. Some beauties. See Uncle Josh. H. C. Stanford Company. 24-1t

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Page, of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Clute, from Marshall, Mich.; Mrs. Williams, Thos. Hamilton, Miss Gertrude and Sophie Turnhoffer, of Lorraine, Ill., were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Morsman.

William Harmon and wife, who came from Pennsylvania for a short visit, are so well pleased with St. Cloud that they have purchased a furnished home and will remain here. William is a brother of A. Harmon, who resides on Jersey avenue.

We still aim to carry a full line of 5c, 10c and 25c goods in our various departments. You should look these over. Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

The president of the Board of Trade invited Mr. L. V. Frost to address the board of trade on the subject of advertising at its meeting on Monday night, but as Mr. Frost was in Tampa taking in the Gasparilla he could not comply. Mr. Frost has made advertising his business for many years, having been in the employ of the advertising department of the Pennsylvania railroad until he took over the control of a wholesale butter and egg house in New York City, where he has made a signal success.

$2 Automobile to Orlando Fair $2 AND RETURN

Bailey's Transfer will run to Orlando Fair and return for $2 per passenger, giving you a full day at the fair. Phone 51 for particulars.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. McClure went on Tuesday to Tampa for a few days stay.

Grinnell, Ia.—Editor Tribune: A. K. Hostetter passed away October 20, 1915.

Children's Rain Capes and Hoods, 1.69, at Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

Miss Jane Warner went to Tampa and St. Petersburg Monday for a week's stay.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Hunsinger left on Tuesday for Tampa to take in the Gasparilla and Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Harden, Miss Effie Houghton and Mrs. Nellie Chase left on Monday for the Gasparilla.

One reel of Billy Sunday in action. Well worth seeing. At Palm Theatre Friday night. 24-1t

Mrs. Frank Phiss, of Fairburg, Ill., who is spending the winter lin Lakeland, visited in St. Cloud over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Judd of Fort Wayne, Ind., came in Saturday evening and expect to remain for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lippencott, of Marion, Ohio, came in Saturday morning and will remain for the rest of the winter.

Mr. Livermore, past commander of the Army and Navy Union, was slightly injured on the arm Friday night at the flag raising.

A few more strings of orange blossom beads at $1.00 each. Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

B. F. Parker, of Orndale, Mich., left on Wednesday morning's train for his home after a month's stay in the Wonder City.

Mrs. S. C. Kees and little son, of Beatrice, Neb., arrived Saturday evening and will visit her aunt, Mrs. Stebbins, of this place.

Mrs. Sylvia M. Merchant, of Spencer, Wyo., who has been in St. Cloud for some time went to Orlando on Wednesday for the day.

Brooms! Brooms! Brooms! A 35c broom for 29c. Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Rhodes, of Logansport, Ind., left Wednesday morning for their home after spending about three months in St. Cloud.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Page, sister of Miss L. Eppel, left this morning for Boston, after a stay of four weeks. They are delighted with St. Cloud and will return next winter.

Mrs. Marcella Potts was pleasantly surprised when a crowd of young people assembled at her home on Ohio avenue Saturday night. The evening was spent at music and games.

Mrs. C. Prescott, of Washington, D. C., was a guest at the Ladies' Army and Navy Union social last Friday, at the Veeder home. She also made a donation to the auxiliary.

We still aim to carry a full line of 5c, 10c and 25c goods in our various departments. You should look these over. Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bartley from Nevada, Mo., who have been in St. Cloud for the past three months, left on Monday for a trip south before returning to their northern home.

Mrs. J. G. Young and Miss Minnie Young, of Belleview, La., who are spending the winter in St. Cloud, left on Monday to take in the Gasparilla.

Mrs. B. Casey and daughter, Miss Agnes, and Mr. and Mrs. Willis Spawn, all of South Dakota, who are spending the winter in St. Cloud, went to Tampa Monday to take in the Gasparilla.

Just a few boys' suits at $1.79 and $2.95. Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

Read the advertisements of Bailey's Transfer in this issue. He will take you to the big fair at Orlando, let you stay all day and bring you home for the small sum of $2 per passenger. The regular daily trip to Kissimmee will be maintained as usual.

Geo. W. Woodward had a visit from his highly esteemed friends, Rev. F. M. Gossman and wife, from North Dakota, who spent a very enjoyable day in our wonder city last Friday. They are touring the state with a view of making their future home here whenever they retire from the ministry.

The Woman's Relief Corps will serve one of their famous dinners at the G. A. R. Hall, February 17th. 24-1t

The Elsie P. McElroy Auxiliary of the Army and Navy Union gave a mietto palm tea at Mrs. M. W. Veeder's on Friday, February 4. There was a large attendance and would have been still larger, but for the flag raising. However, we were very much pleased at the reception, which was appreciated by all.

Saturday Special—another big Aluminum Sale at Durham's Department Store. Choice of any article in the window 10 cents. 24-1t

Delicious Drinks

Our pure ice cream and real fruit flavors make the refreshments that you get at our fountain really nourishing food. And we try to keep our serving dishes and receptacles as clean and wholesome as the best housewife in this town keeps her kitchen.

Stop In Here

and get a thirst-quencher, then take a pail of cream or sherbet home to the family.

Phone 11 **SEMINOLE PHARMACY** The Rexall Store

Walter H. Seaman Atlantic City, N. J., is here on a short visit.

Mrs. S. C. Allgonier went to Tampa Monday for the Gasparilla.

H. F. Judd and wife are in the city from Fort Wayne, Ind., and will remain until late spring.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Gifford and Mr. O. Vanveeton are spending this week in Tampa and St. Petersburg.

A few more strings of orange blossom beads at $1.00 each. Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

Mrs. Helen Ellis of East Aurora, N. Y., is spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Bordner, of this place.

C. H. Lichty, wife and daughter, of Reading, Pa., arrived Saturday night and will spend a week in the Wonder City.

Mrs. E. E. Earnest, sister of Mrs. Stebbins of this place, came in last week and will be here the remainder of the winter.

Mr. O. Evans and daughter, Miss Bessie, who have been in St. Cloud for several months left on Tuesday for Plant City for a short stay.

Mrs. F. Colin, Mrs. C. Woodbury, Mrs. Amanda Blunt, Mrs. J. Pike, Mrs. Mary Reed and Mrs. J. Espey, spent the day in Kissimmee Monday.

Just received full line of Men's, Women's and children's Hosiery—10c, 15c, 25c and 50c. Durham's Department Store. 24-1t

Mr. Jerry M. Dixon, who makes his home at Lokosee, this county, is in the city to attend the ceremonies of the laying of the cornerstone of the new G. A. R. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Thomas; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Howe; and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Roberts, all of The Haven, left on Tuesday to attend the Gasparilla in Tampa.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin, of Craig, Neb. who have been in St. Cloud for the past six weeks, left on Tuesday for a short stay at Orlando before returning north.

Constantine Scherger and wife are new arrivals in St. Cloud from Delphos, Ohio, and will remain until the middle of April. Comrade Scherger was a member of Co. A, 99th Ohio during the war between the states.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Balcom Celebrate Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. McClain, Mrs. William Carr, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Clemens and Margaret Milligan entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Balcom on their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Tuesday last, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clemens on Illinois avenue. A most happy time was had by all present, and the bride and groom received many beautiful cards and gifts from their children and friends at their summer home, Boston, Mass. Mr. McClain and wife and Mr. Will Carr, of Boston, furnished the music and sang comic songs for the occasion.

One of the cards, from a daughter in Boston, Mass., contained the following touching lines:

"1866-1916, on your fiftieth anniversary, three think of you this golden day, with true and deep affection, and wish you many cheerful hours of happy recollection and all the kindly thoughts three send are more than words can say. God bless and keep you happy on your golden wedding day."

Frank M. Balcom married Henrietta B. Smith, February 6, 1866, at Lancaster, Mass., and for fifty years this now grand old couple have lived a happy, peaceful and contented life, and as the sands of time slowly flow from the glass have naught but love in their hearts for all humankind.

Mrs. Clemens also entertained Mr. Wallace Mantey and wife, Carl Mantey and his lady friend, Miss Smith from Eustis. They autoed over to spend the day and all had a golden time together.

The Manteys and Clemens' came south together from Minerva, Ohio. After dinner Mr. Wallace Mantey gave the ladies an auto ride over the city and up the lake front. Everyone present left wishing the Balcoms many happy returns of the day. On their return home on Fourteenth street, they found a beautiful golden bouquet. Thanks to the giver.

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M. E. Riggan has gone to Tampa where he will purchase a big supply of groceries. His trade has been so large he has to keep on the jump to supply the demands made on him for the

Very Best Groceries

of quality that pleases and satisfies

How about your

GARDEN FIELD SEED?

We have them and the right kind of FERTILIZER to make them grow.

Are your Chickens laying? If not we have the

EGG PRODUCER.

Your Coffee was not satisfying this morning? We have the

BEST COFFEE

and grind it fresh for you free.

STOCK FEED

All kinds. We have the stock and can fill any order that comes.

FRESH VEGETABLES and STRAWBERRIES Every Day.

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Same Good Results as Shopping In Person

We Take Especial Pride In Filling Phone Orders For Groceries Because They Show That Our Customers

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Fresh Vegetables, Tuesdays & Fridays

Come early.

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Pennsylvania Ave., between 10th and 11th streets. Phone 12

Ticks Get Your Profits

What would you think of a man who would let his cow bleed to death from a barbed wire cut or a stab from a stick? Now what do you think of the man who would let the cattle ticks suck his cows' blood? Of the two the man who lets his cow bleed from a wound is the wiser and the more merciful. The wounded cow is the only one that can be lost in the first instance. The ticky cow loses just as much blood although she may not die. But that is not all. Blood sucked by ticks goes to produce other ticks which get on other cows. Still that is not all. As long as the tick lives the Texas fever organism will be propagated and transferred from one cow to another.

Now who is the more profitable member of society? The man who lets his cow bleed to death hurts only himself. The man who propagates fever ticks hurts himself, his neighbors, his state and the whole South. Yet one is more quickly condemned if he lets the wounded cow bleed, because neighbors can see the blood. In the other case they see only the ticks.

C. L. Willoughby, professor of animal husbandry in the University of Florida College of Agriculture, calls attention to a bulletin recently issued by the United States Department of Agriculture. The following statement is quoted: "It costs only 50 cents a head at most, including the first cost of dipping vats, to clear cattle of these blood suckers. It costs about $50 to $100 to build a vat, and you can figure how much this first cost a head is if divided among all the cattle near the vat. Five cents a head will pay for enough arsenic to rid your cattle of ticks. Moreover, when a beef animal has been freed from ticks, because it can be sold in the open pens at the stock yards in competition with other free cattle, it brings from $5 to $10 more a head than when offered for immediate slaughter only from the quarantine pen."

Think of it, 50 cents a head to free cattle of ticks!

Persia, Ia.—For eleven hours Mrs. August Sedden lay in a trance and saw her friends and relatives preparing for her burial. When the undertaker was about to place her in the coffin, she succeeded in sighing and thus prevented her burial alive. She is expected to recover.

Mixed Fertilizers Give the Cheapest Potash

After all there is probably no cheaper potash than that contained in mixed fertilizers. Where this can be had, growers had better take it than depend upon some improvised material of doubtful potash content. Various means have been devised to meet the shortage. Of the many sources offered, wood ashes is one of the most common, and perhaps the most doubtful of value.

P. H. Rolfs, dean of the University of Florida College of Agriculture, reminds users of fertilizers that the potash in hard wood ashes frequently runs extremely low. Some ashes have no more than one-fourth of one per cent. These ashes are sometimes offered for $10 to $15 per ton. At this rate the potash costs the grower in the neighborhood of $40 per unit. Two years ago a unit cost about $1. The price of a unit of potash in mixed fertilizers is far less than it is in ashes, and it is advisable for growers to buy the mixed fertilizers if they can be had.

The average saw palmetto ashes contain only about 1.75 per cent potash, [illegible] sand and inert material. Pure saw palmetto ashes run many times higher in potash. The amount in other wood ashes varies considerably with the amount of foreign material which they contain.

Citrus growers have formerly used large quantities of potash even more than was necessary. It is probable that they can get along on smaller quantities, and the high price makes one doubt the advisability of using any in excess of the minimum requirement of trees.—Agricultural News Service.

Spray For Scab Before It Appears

Do not wait until scab and melanose appear before spraying them. It will be too late to do anything then. Neither can be cured. They must be prevented, according to B. F. Floyd, plant physiologist to the University of Florida Experiment Station. Pruning dead wood is a good measure against melanose but it is about too late for that now.

Both lime sulphur and bordeaux are recommended for scab. The lime sulphur should be mixed in the proportion one gallon of 32 degrees Baume stock solution to 30 gallons of water. If the solution is weaker than 32 degrees, smaller quantities of water or more of the solution should be used. Bordeaux is recommended in two strengths, 3:3:50 and 5:5:50. The same spraying is thought to be effective in helping to control melanose.—Agricultural News Service.

Counties Interested In Pig Clubs

About a dozen counties have organized for pig clubs. It is probable that many others will follow, because it is the intention of G. L. Herrington, state club agent for the University of Florida Extension Division, to have the corn club boys take up the work. They will have feed from their acre of corn on which to raise the pigs.

Various oranizations, such as bankers, boards of trade, and school boards, are fostering the pig club movement. Mr Herrington advises that care be used in selecting the membership. County agents should see that adequate provision for feeding and pasturing the pig is made. In those counties where the bankers are lending money for purchasing animals, extra precautions should be made for their care. The debt is to be canceled from the sale or the increase of the pig and neither will be adequate unless proper facilities are provided.—Agricultural News Service.

"ROSELLE OR SORRELL"
(Florida Cranberry)

S. J. Tripplett, Editor—

Now that your enterprising city has an up-to-date cannery, and knowing that many of your readers are wide-awake and looking for the best in everything, I want to tell them out experience with what we consider the best and most profitable fruit grown in this country.

We call it the Florida cranberry. It is far better and far more useful than the cranberry. Some call it the Lemonade Plant, because it makes a drink similar to lemonade. Others call it Roselle, and still others call it Jamaica Sorrell. It matters not by what name you know it, for I am sure it is to become one of the most profitable crops grown in Florida. A friend writes from California that they often get $1,000 per acre there for this fruit. If they make $1,000 off an acre in California, where they have their water to buy, how much may we make here where conditions are much more favorable every way?

We have fifteen plants scattered promiscuously around "Eukalypta Kabin," that came up voluntarily last spring. From these fifteen stalks we have sold and given away more than $15 worth of products, besides more than one-half of the pods were saved for seed, and the third crop is now about ready for use. The end is not yet. Our canning man at Fort Meade has been paying 12 1-2 cents per pound for all he can get and wants to contract for all he can utilize next fall and winter. I am sure your cannery there would be glad to get a large quantity next fall, for it can be prepared in so many ways, and there is nothing so delicious and the demand is already great.

The editor of the Florida Grower says: "We have green Roselle-made jelly and lemonade from it; also it is as cranberry sauce when used with meats, and it is very fine. The only question is in creating a market for it. That done, a profit is assured for the cost is little."

I believe a sufficient demand now exists to warrant the planting of a considerable acreage this spring, and as the Grower says, the cost is little. We have faith enough in it to try an acre or two. It grows on any land that citrus fruits grow on; also on heavier, lower land. We have several stalks among young orange trees. It does well about here and there, in fence corners, on ditch banks, and other spots that might otherwise be idle. Plant a patch of Roselle this spring.

Yours for better and bigger Florida, and for Heaven at home.

Robert James.

Eucalypta, Fla. Meade, Feb. 8.

Camp Cuck, S. Dak.—A goose that Ed Cordell was about to kill for his Sunday dinner, snapped at the man with its beak and Cordell now is minus the end of his nose.

Los Angeles, Cal.—A letter written in 1860 to H. O. Ward, Zanesville, Ohio, has just been delivered here to Prof. W. D. Ward, son of the addressee, who lacks three days of being as old as the letter. Where the missive has been for over 55 years no one knows.

Duroc-Jerseys Find Favor in South

Duroc-Jerseys are rapidly finding favor in the South. They meet the conditions of Florida well. They are early maturing and capable of making cheap gains. They are good grazers and do not blister in the hot sun as some of the white-skinned pigs do. Compared with other lard hogs they are prolific.

The sows make affectionate mothers and are easily handled. According to C. K. McQuarrie, state agent for the University of Florida Extension Division, the sows are considered the heaviest milkers of any breed. While the size of the litters at birth may not be so large as some of the other breeds, the Duroc-Jersey mother will raise as many pigs as any. This is because of her gentle temperament and motherly qualities.

The quality of Duroc meat is perhaps the best of the lard breeds when fed under favorable conditions. The hams are especially good. The Duroc meets the demands of packing houses satisfactorily, and it is an easy fattener for the farmer.—Agricultural News Service.

Pork Production May Be Studied By Mail

Interest in livestock raising is growing. From every part of the state and from other states inquiries are made constantly about hog raising. The number who can attend an institution where instruction in scientific pork production can be obtained is limited. To take care of this vast majority of farmers, the University of Florida College of Agriculture has recently added a mail course in pork production to the list of correspondence courses. This course takes up the types of swine, the principles of swine breeding, the breeds, feeding of swine with the various feeds that have been tried by experiment stations, management, marketing and curing, buildings, sanitation, and diseases.

Fifteen correspondence courses are offered. Co-operation in agriculture and Fertilizers and Crops have also been added recently. Six courses have been revised and it is probable that one or two more will be revised within the next few weeks.—Agricultural News Service.

MAGAZINES ATTACKING FLORIDA ARE BEING CALLED TO ACCOUNT

The magazine or newspaper which essays a slighting remark or makes an inaccurate publication regarding Florida nowadays has a difficult time "getting away with it."

There is maintained by the Thomas Advertising Service of this city, and Tampa, a clipping service for its clients which covers the entire United States. Thousands of periodicals are read regularly in the home office for items of interest and two or three standard bureaus have standing orders for clippings on a wide range of subjects relating to Florida.

Whenever a reference is made to Florida in a northern newspaper that is calculated to do the state harm, the Thomas people get busy to correct its influence. Usually it is found that the trouble is lack of information on the part of the publication responsible. In some few instances, however, there has been uncovered a disposition to be deliberately unfair to Florida.

The communications reproduced below from Jefferson Thomas, president of the Thomas service, to a prominent weekly magazine and a leading daily newspaper are typical examples of the way in which this matter is handled.

To Collier's Weekly

In common with several million other readers of Collier's, I have greatly enjoyed the Geo. Fitch article on The Who Was He? of America, published in the January 22 number.

In this article Mr. Fitch made two references to Florida's selection for the Statuary Hall of the national capital. In the first he said: "Florida, after having looked over its directory with anxious care, has immortalized Dr. John Gorrie, the man who invented the ice machine." In the other Mr. Fitch suggested that under present conditions it would be possible for "Wisconsin to follow Florida's lead and send the inventor of the bottling machine."

It must be evident to a great many readers of Collier's other than the rather respectable number who live in Florida that Mr. Fitch did not take the trouble to inform himself regarding the real reason for the high esteem in which is held the memory of Dr. Gorrie by the people of this state and in scarcely less degree by those of the whole world. The great life work of Dr. Gorrie was not the invention of the ice machine, but the discovery of the practical process of making artificial ice.

I suspect that if our good friend Fitch had lived before the time of artificial ice he would be more appreciative of just what Dr. Gorrie's process has meant to the civilized countries, as I am sure that Collier's would be the last publication in the world to minimize the importance of the splendid work that he did. Do you not think that your editors might be persuaded to make some corrective mention on the matter?

To Detroit News

My attention has just been called to a news item in the January 12 issue of the News, reading as follows:

"Parasite endangers Florida fruit.

"The grapefruit and orange industries of Florida are in danger of being wiped out by a parasite that has attacked the trees of those fruits," said Wm. B. Daniels attorney, who returned from a trip to the South. "I have not heard anything about it in the North and evidently the Florida people, and particularly the real estate boomers, are endeavoring to keep the matter as quiet as possible, but nevertheless the peril is spreading so rapidly that I understand congress has been, or will be, asked to appropriate $10,000,000 to fight its progress. The parasite was brought to Florida in a shipment of young trees from Japan."

This article does the people of Florida a great injustice. They have not by any means sought to keep from the public the facts in relation to citrus canker. Practically all of the newspapers of the state have been filled with stories as to ravages of canker for a period of more than a year. Probably a million letters in regard to citrus canker have been mailed from Florida in the past twelve months. The disease has been given wide-spread publicity in many of the leading periodicals of the north. A typical instance may be found on page 193 of the current issue of the Country Gentleman. Citrus canker has been a menace to the future prosperity of Florida and the facts in regard to it have been frankly and fully admitted by the people of the state, and its introduction through interstate commerce was made the basis of the appeal to congress for federal aid in the eradication of the disease.—Times-Union.

Station Can Tell Who Has Seeds or Stock

Do you want to buy seeds, or pure-bred livestock? Many farmers would like to have home-grown seed or pure-bred southern livestock but do not know where to obtain them. C. K. McQuarrie state agent for the university of Florida Extension Division, asks those who are in the market for such produce to apply to the Experiment Station, Gainesville. A list of farmers who have seeds or livestock for sale is kept.

It is frequently impossible to find velvet beans Natal seed, home-grown potatoes, or other seeds on the open markets while farmers may have them on hand. It is desirable to obtain southern pure-bred stock if it can be had. The number of men who have such stock for sale is increasing and it is probable that those who desire it can buy it close at hand.—Agricultural News Service.

Augusta Best Carnation For Florida

The Augusta Carnation is one of the best carnations for Florida according to F. F. Halma, of the University of Florida Experiment Station. Mr. Halma has seen the Augusta grown on the Station grounds in competition with other carnations and is thus able to speak of its relative merits. The flower is red and fragrant.

The plants are propagated during winter. Cuttings are placed in pure sand and left about two months. By this time roots will have started and the plants may be planted out. They will bloom about three months later. Rooted plants may be purchased from nurseries if one doesn't care to make and care for the cuttings.

If Oats Are Yellow Give Them Nitrogen

If oats are yellow they probably need nitrogen. An application of 150 pounds of sulphate of ammonia to the acre will in most cases restore their natural color, according to John M. Scott, animal industrialist to the University of Florida Experiment Station. A harrow should be run over the land to incorporate the fertilizer into the soil.

It probably will be necessary to repeat the application in a month. Apply the fertilizer when the oats are dry, else it may have a caustic effect on them. This treatment will not prevent rust but it will make a stronger growth which will enable the oats to overcome the rust to some extent. The harrowing will also serve as a cultivation which should be given in spring. Harrowing may be too severe. In that case use a weeder.—Agricultural News Service.

New Plans For Dipping Vats Offered

Dr. C. F. Dawson, veterinarian to the State Board of Health, offers the following information to farmers who are interested in dipping vats:

"Bureau of Animal Industry Circular 207 gives directions for dipping cattle to destroy ticks including plans and specifications for the construction of concrete and brick vats. Certain changes in the concrete vat, so as to make it more suitable for tange conditions, have recently been suggested and are embodied in the accompanying plan and bill of materials. The principal differences consist in the vat being larger and having perpendicular instead of sloping sides.

A longer or shorter vat could be be made if desired.

"Copies of the circular may be obtained by addressing the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington D. C.—Agricultural News Service.

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Considerable whitewashing is done in spring and a demand has grown for a mixture that will not chip off prematurely. For some purposes, such as covering hen or hog houses and stables, where a cheap antiseptic material is needed, whitewash is unexcelled. The following recipe is offered by E. S. Pace, district agent for the University of Florida Extension Division, and is taken from Farmers' Bulletin 474:

"Half a bushel of unslaked lime; slake with warm water; cover during the process to keep in the steam; strain the liquid through a sieve or strainer; add a peck of salt, previously well dissolved in warm water; three pounds of ground rice boiled to a thin paste and stir in boiling hot half a pound of powdered Spanish whiting and a pound of glue which has been previously dissolved over a slow fire, and add five gallons of hot water to the mixture; stir well and let it stand for a few days, keeping it covered to exclude dirt. It should be put on hot. One pint of the mixture properly applied will cover a square yard. Small brushes are best. There is nothing that can compare with it for outside or inside work, and it retains its brilliancy for many years. Coloring matter may be put in and made of any shade—Spanish brown, yellow ochre, or common clay."—Agricultural News Service.

New York City.—Raymond Beck, well known as "the choir boy with the angel face," has just been sentenced to Sing Sing for ten years on six charges of burglary.

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W. C. T. U.

By MRS. CLARA E. KENNEY

Met in regular session at the Baptist church on Monday, February 7, Mrs. Garner presiding.

After song, Scripture reading and prayer came secretary's and treasurer's reports, both of which showed our union to be in a live, flourishing condition.

Roll call responded to with names of W. C. T. U. leaflets and remarks. Committees reported.

Mrs. Belva Lockwood, who had been invited to deliver an address, was then introduced by our own Mrs. Northrop, who had charge of the program. Mrs. Lockwood was given the "White Ribbon Reception" which she received with thanks. She said she had wanted to come to one of our meetings ever since she has been here She thanked the meeting for the honor and courtesy shown her, but she had done no more than they would have done: had better opportunities; has always been a temperance worker; was to make a temperance speech when she was sixteen years old and some one asked her "ain't you scared?" "No, I am just trying to think what I shall say!"

"In Washington, D. C. where there were 1,400 saloons, I walked into a saloon and asked the saloonkeeper if he wouldn't stop selling whiskey. But he did not stop. There are now only 300 saloons in the district, largely owing to the W. C. T. U. trying to get the District dry. When some were lamenting that 1,000 saloon clerks and bartenders were thrown out of business I suggested they get into some other kind of business. I never allowed a saloon on my street. As for the congressmen, some are good men and would help the temperance cause, while some would not, a few of them liking a drink themselves. But I want to talk about peace and preparedness. For twenty-one years I have been a member of a peace society; also a member of the English Peace Society, as well as the German. For 100 years we have been at peace with all other nations. Although our border line with Canada is longer than any border in Europe, our relations with Canada have always been friendly, while it would not cost us ten cents to tend to our own business, what would it cost us to mix in with the warring countries? Those countries are depending on the United States to furnish food, money and ammunition. If the United States would stop sending—I will not say food, for we cannot refuse food—money and guns and ammunition, the war would stop.

"I get many letters from England, Germany and other countries asking for help. Received a letter from Lord Fairfax wanting money for their widows and orphans. I would like to answer him by telling him to stop making widows and orphans.

"When were the women ever asked to have a war or to consent to it? It is time for women to stop war and preparedness. We protest against it. Go slow on preparedness. It is unnecessary. It endangers our most precious institutions, and is contrary to all that is best in our national traditions.

"President Wilson was against preparedness but has now dropped into line and is making speeches for it. The time has come when the women in many countries must take charge of the affairs, because there are no men left.

"Who wants war? Is it the men or the women of a nation? No, it is the men who are making the tools for war. Who pays for war- Mr. Wilson? No. Congress? No. What does this war bring to England? Nothing. What does it bring to Germany- Nothing.

"For 65 years there had been peace between the United States and Mexico. There was no need to send 20,000 troops to avenge a few whose greed led them there.

"Twenty-one republics in South and Central America are banded with us All are our friends and will stand by us against any foe. While Germany, England and others are calling on us for food and money to buy ammunition, poor Italy, who has suffered so much from earthquakes, is using her money to help her people.

"Three-fourths of the money used by our government went to support the army and navy.

"Great things do not come in a minute. The United States is the most civilized country in the world. We should teach that war is a disgrace, a horrible thing. Who gave us authority to kill. The W. C. T. U. should now get hold of the peace fund."

If I have misquoted Mrs. Lockwood I beg her pardon.

Mrs. Northrop followed with a fine talk, although it was short.

Three new names were added to the roll.

Closing song ,"Blest be the Tie that Binds."

Benediction by Brother Noirthrop.

Next meeting February 21. All are welcome.

Meeting of Ladies' Improvement Club

The Ladies Improvement Club met as usual at their club rooms on Wednesday, February 22, at 2 o'clock, with Mrs Lou Hendrix in the chair. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

There was a large attendance, and after business hours the social hour was enjoyed with a fine program.

Mr. Lynn Daugherty sang a solo accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Buckmaster. Mrs. Metzgar gave a talk on President Woodrow Wilson's speeches on preparedness which pleased the audience. Judge William Peckham talked on some of the doings of St. Cloud and congratulated the ladies on the good work they have accomplished.

Mr. Albert Daugherty gave a poem on women, which was very amusing.

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The orchestral concerts on Friday, the opening day, will be presented by the Roger's Goshen Orchestra, whom, once at a Chautauqua point are ever in demand and no assembly quite complete without them. While the musical company of Saturday are artists in their various lines, they have a fine violinist, pleasing soprano soloist of engaging presence, excellent baritone and fine accompanist whose direction compels excellent rendition of every part. An excellent child impersonator completes this company and adds variety and interest to a plendid afternoon's concert and the rendition of an excellent evening's prelude.

Thus the first days of this assembly will be filled with such excellent entertainment that a season ticket will be an indispensable need of every one who stands for the upbuilding of better life in this and every community. But there are seven days of the Chautauqua assembly which grow better and better until the end, therefore boost for our Chautauqua.

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TWO CONGRESSMEN TO ADDRESS CONFERENCE ON CHILD LABOR

Interest in the Keating-Owen Federal child labor bill is so great that the National Child Labor Committee has asked Congressman Keating, of Colorado, and Britt of North Carolina, to address the twelfth annual conference on child labor at Asheville, N. C., on the subject, and report the action of the House on the bill. Since the final vote on the bill will probably be taken Wednesday, February 2, and the roll call of January 26 indicated a three-to-one vote in favor of it, it may be that when the conference opens, February 3, the House will have passed the measure. At any rate it is anticipated that the reports of Congressmen Keating and Britt will be most interesting since the debates on the bill have already brought out hot arguments.

Others whose names appear on the final program of the conference are Felix Adller, of the Ethical Culture Society, New York, and chairman of the National Child Labor Committee; Hon. A. Mitchell Palmer, of Pennsylvania, who sponsored the federal child labor bill last year; Lillian D. Wald, of the Nurses' Settlement New York, and Edward T. Devine, of the New York School of Philanthropy. Local interests will be well represented, there being sixteen North Carolinians on the program, among whom are Dr. J. Howell Way, president of of the North Carolina Board of Health; Mrs. Thos. W. Lingle, president of the North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs; and Hon. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Education. There will be a conference of child labor committees and local workers at which special attention will be given to the 8-hour day as operated in New Jersey, Massachusetts and New York. The governors of all the states have been asked to appoint delegates and state health, school and factory officers have been invited. The sessions open at 10:30 a. m., February 3, at the Battery Park Hotel, Asheville, and close with a mass meeting Sunday afternoon, February 6, in the First Baptist Church.

Berwick, Eng.—Lightning struck the wedding ring on the finger of Mrs. Mason, of Castlegate, taking a piece out of the ring but leaving the finger unhurt.

Dr. Luther Little Is Called "Little Man Eloquent"

The Los Angeles Press says: "No greater preacher or orator in the West than Dr. Little. He is known all over America as the 'Little Man Eloquent.' In giving his splendid series of lectures great auditoriums have been unable to accommodate the crowds, even on busy week-day afternoons. Dr. Little does not profess to be a humorist, nor simply an entertainer. He is more than that. He instructs, inspires and lifts you up to better and higher things with nobler aims.

Dr. Little will present his great lecture on "The Eyes of the World" at our Chautauqua assembly Tuesday afternoon, February 22.

Mrs. Clarence H. Crego, treasurer of Tennessee Federation of Women's Clubs, says: "I wish every woman might have the opportunity of hearing Dr. Little in his lectures. You will be delightfully entertained, inspired with more faith in yourself, and given a better hope for tomorrow."

Dr. Little's ability to interpret character and books as well as his power to present his ideas is a marvel to all who hear him. Fortunate is the community who have such opportunity.

AN INCH OR SO BELOW

"It's funny," began the long-winded bore, "but nobody ever seems glad to see me."

"Well, and have you never found out the cause of your unpopularity?"

"No; I can't discover it."

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Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of a Final Decree rendered by the Honorable James W. Perkins, Judge of the Circuit Court of the Seventh Judicial of the State of Florida, on the 28th day of January, A. D. 1916, in a cause pending in the Circuit Court of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of the State of Florida, in and for Osceola County, in chancery sitting, wherein Lewis Horst is the Complainant, and John Sweeney is the Respondent. On the first Monday in March, A. D. 1916, the same being the 6th day of March, A. D. 1916, within the legal hours of sale, at the front door of the Court House in Kissimmee, Osceola County, Florida, I will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash at public outcry the following real estate, to-wit: Lot numbered five hundred and five (505) of section No. thirty-three (33), in township twenty-five (25) south, range thirty (30) east, according to the plat of the Seminole Land and Investment Company's (Incorporated) Subdivision of said section thirty-three (33), filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Osceola County, State of Florida, to satisfy a decree rendered in said cause, with interest and costs.

Dated this 20th day of January, A. D. 1916.

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CITATION of ADMINISTRATION

IN COURT OF THE COUNTY JUDGE, STATE OF FLORIDA.

Estate of Osceola County

By the Judge of said Court:

Whereas, Gustave A. Bleech has applied to this Court for Letters of Administration on the estate of Alda P. Bleech, deceased, late of said County of Osceola;

These are, therefore, to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of said deceased to be and appear before this Court on or before the 3rd of March, A. D. 1916, and file objections, if any they have, to the granting of Letters of Administration on said estate, otherwise the same will be granted to said Gustave A. Bleech or to some other fit person or persons.

Witness my name as County Judge of the County aforesaid this the 1st day of February, A. D. 1916.

[Seal] T. M. MURPHY, County Judge.

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ST. CLOUD, FLA., TAX NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the state and county tax books for the year 1915 will open for collection of county and state tax November 1st.

When applying for tax bill be sure to give complete description of your property and enclose stamped envelop for reply. Remittance should be made by postoffice money order or certified check. PERSONAL CHECKS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. A discount of 2 per cent will be allowed on all taxes paid during November.

For county and state tax apply and pay C. L. Bandy, Tax Collector, Kissimmee, Florida. For city tax—town of St. Cloud—apply and pay E. E. Scranton, Tax Collector, St. Cloud, Florida. Bear in mind that you must pay both county and state tax as well as city tax on town lots.

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Prepare to attend in person and with your family and friends, and the stranger within your gates.

SUB-TROPICAL MID-WINTER EXPOSITION OF THE PROSPEROUS FIVE COUNTIES.

February 15-19, 1916

Orlando, Florida

INSANE WOMAN SHOOTS SISTER JENNIE SULLIVAN KILLS HATTIE

The home of Berry A. Sullivan, about seven miles from St. Cloud, was the scene of a horrible accident at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning, when the eldest daughter, Jennie, shot her younger sister, Hattie, in the face with a rifle. The girl cannot live.

Miss Jennie Sullivan, who is about 25 years old, has been considered insane for several months, but was not thought dangerous until Wednesday morning when she became angry with her 17-year-old sister, Hattie, grabbing a rifle and emptied its contents in the girl's face.

Dr. J. D. Chunn, who was called on the case, says the girl cannot live.

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Whereas, the Legislature of the State of Florida by Act approved June 5, 1911, Chapter 6208 of the Laws of Florida, provided that whenever residents of any territory embraced wholly or in part in one or more Road Districts, as at that time constituted in any county of the State of Florida, desire to have such territory constituted into a "Special Road and Bridge District" and to have constructed within said Special District, permanent roads and bridges; they shall present to the Board of County Commissioners of said County, a petition signed by not less than 25 per cent of the duly registered voters who are freeholders, residing in said territory which it is proposed to constitute into a Special Road and Bridge District, said petition describing by metes and bounds or by other accurate method the territory which it is proposed to create into a Special Road and Bridge District and setting out in general terms a description and proposed location of the roads and bridges to be constructed; together with the amount estimated to be necessary, with which to pay for the construction of same and whether the cost of such construction is to be paid for by the issue and sale of bonds, or by the levy and collection of a Special Road and Bridge Tax, and

Whereas, a petition was filed with the Board of County Commissioners on January 3rd, A. D. 1916, signed by over 25 per cent of the duly registered freehold voters resident within the following described territory, to-wit:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of Township Number Twenty-five (25) South, Range (34) Thirty-four East, being the Northeast corner of Osceola County, State of Florida, thence west along the North boundary of Osceola County, aforesaid, to the Northwest corner of Township (25) Twenty-five South, Range (31) Thirty-one East, thence South along the Western boundary of the said Township (2) Two miles. Thence in a Southwesterly direction to the Northeast entry of the canal leading from East Lake Tohopekaliga in a Southwesterly direction to Lake Tohopekaliga, thence along the East bank of said Canal to Lake Tohopekaliga, thence in a Southerly direction along the meanderings of the East shore of Lake Tohopekaliga to the Canal leading from Lake Tohopekaliga to Lake Cypress, thence along the East shore of said Canal in a Southerly direction to where it intersects the South boundary of Township (27) Twenty-seven South, thence East along the Southern boundary of Township (27) Twenty-seven South, Range (30) Thirty to Northwest corner of Township (28) Twenty-eight South, Range (32) Thirty-two East, thence South to the Southwest corner of Township Twenty-eight (28) South, Range (32) Thirty-two East, thence East along the South boundary line of Township (28) Twenty-eight South Ranges (32) Thirty-two, (33) Thirty-three, and (34) Thirty-four East to the Southeast corner of Township Twenty-eight (28) South, Range (34) Thirty-four East, thence North along the Eastern boundary of Osceola County to the point of beginning.

Petitioning the said Board to call an election for the purpose of deciding whether or not said territory shall be constituted a Special Road District and for the issuance of bonds in the sum of $150,000.00, which amount is the estimated cost of the roads and bridges to be constructed to pay for the construction of said roads and bridges within said Special Road and Bridge District.

NOW, THEREFORE, The Board of County Commissioners hereby give notice that an election will be held in Commissioner's District No. 3, Osceola County, Florida, on the 11th day of March, A. D. 1916, for the purpose of deciding whether or not the above described territory shall be created a Special Road and Bridge District and whether or not bonds shall be issued in the sum of $150,000.00 to pay for the construction of the following described roads and bridges, the general description and location of which is as follows:

Commencing at the Canal between East Lake Tohopekaliga and Lake Tohopekaliga, at the crossing of the County Road leading from Kissimmee to St. Cloud, thence along said County road through St. Cloud to or near Ashton, thence by the nearest and most practicable route through Sections (8) Eight, (9) Nine, (10) Ten, (11) Eleven, (14) Fourteen, and (13) Thirteen, in Township (26) Twenty-six South, Range (31) Thirty-one East, thence in a South and Eastern direction through Township (26) Twenty-six South, Range (32) Thirty-two East, Township (26) Twenty-six South, and Township (27) Twenty-seven South, Range (33) Thirty-three East, Township (27) Twenty-seven South, Range (34) Thirty-four East, through Deer Park in said section east to Brevard County, Western boundary, a distance of approximately Thirty (30) miles.

Also a spur commencing at or near Ashton, North to Narcoossee, a distance of about four miles.

Bridges shall be constructed where required of iron, cement, or wood, either or all of such materials, not less than sixteen feet crosswise of the road and of sufficient span to meet the requirements of the several localities as to floods, and possible drainage ditches or canals as the engineering survey may develop; said road when properly graded to be surfaced with sand-asphalt. First-class asphalt shall be used; said surface shall be crowned one-half inch to foot and all the work shall be done in a workmanship-like manner to the acceptance of the engineer and inspector in charge.

There being three Election Districts in said Commissioner's District No. 3, the following persons were appointed as Inspectors and Clerks of the respective districts, to-wit:

District No. 4, St. Cloud, Edd George, Samuel Brammar, J. K. Conn, Inspectors, and P. E. Morgan, Clerk.

District No. 5, Crabgrass, J. W. Tracy, W. R. Nettles, D. P. Raulerson, Inspectors, and Mike Simmons, Clerk.

District No. 8, Narcoossee, R. L. Evans, M. L. Tindall, H. H. Hull, Inspectors, and F. W. Hill, Clerk.

E. L. Lesley,
Chairman.

Attest:
J. L. Overstreet, Clerk.

Veterans' Association

The Veterans Association was called to order at 2 p. m. Saturday, February 5th, by President W. F. Kenney.

The secretary being absent James Goff acted for the day.

Opened by singing "America."

Prayer by Rev. Northrop.

Song, "Catch the Sunshine."

New-comers introduced:

Comrade Shields and his wife said they had tried the climate of California and New Mexico but were not satisfied, and finally came to St. Cloud to be among the "boys." He was in Co. E, 6th Ill. Cav.

Comrade Bates, Co. E, 3rd Wis. Inf., said he did not think this was a soldier's town, as he heard so many roosters crowing last night.

President Kenney explained that that was the way we welcomed strangers when we are asleep.

Father Steinbrunner recited a poem about a tramp.

Comrade Jewell, 2nd Iowa Battery, just in from Alaska, said he was glad to be here.

Comrade Kugler, of Pennsylvania, said he was sorry no more flags were used in the homes of our citizens.

A collection was taken for the hall.

Two more collection baskets were presented to the Association and a vote of thanks was given the donor.

Mr. Wentworth presented the following program:

Fife and violin, Schofield and Andrist. They gave a second number.

Solo, "My Michigan," by A. G. Durham. He was called back for another selection.

Song by J. M. Vero.

Song by Mr. and Mrs. Depew, "The Fault is in You." This was so well liked that they sang that one about the men being transported across the sea.

Reading, or "snake story" by Jno. McGrath.

Miss Robbins sang two numbers.

Violin and guitar by Andrist and Dr. Scott.

This concluded the program and the following announcements were made:

W. R. C. will serve dinner in G. A. R. Hall on February 17.

Last number of Lyceum course on February 17th instead of the 16th.

Boy preacher here in the afternoon and evening, Sunday, February 6th.

James Goff, Sec. pro tem.

Miss Evelyn Bargelt

She tripped upon the platform like a veritable scarlet tanagar, dazzling to the eyes, in red silk stockings, red satin shoes, short, red velvet dress with a band of gold adorning the bottom, also gold sash, a band of gold around her brown hair, red silk gauze sleeves, a la Mandarin style. She was a picture in herself. She flitted like a bird about her work, and as she talked she made marvelously pretty pictures on her rolls. The first one was Phoebe Carey's "Old Homestead." The little farm house, where the Carey sisters were born, the "dear old orchard," the well with the old-fashioned sweep and old oaken bucket that "my father placed there," and the green sloping lawn. It made some of us quite home-sick. Then followed in rapid succession the "spoon scene," a funny number; the "whistling boy" with his dog who "whistled out o' tune"; the Gibson girl, tall and longing to be short, because her lover was short, and then when the roll was torn off and reversed upside down, to our astonished eyes appeared the lover. Miss Bargelt paused in her work to recite the story of "The Little Rebel and Lieutenant Morrisson." How a seven-year-old little girl rebel so touched the heart of the Union officer that he saved her father's life. Then she quickly threw upon her roll the face of Abraham Lincoln. "Greatness" in three scenes, a humorous piece, and last the "Sunset scene." A practical piece, with a lesson for each to carry home with us—to do our duty each day as the sun does his.

Supt. Fagg Spoke on Orphans Tuesday

Florida's greatest charity is the Children's Home in Jacksonville. It is supported entirely by voluntary contributions. Superintendent Fagg, who has made it his labor to look out for the orphans of the state, was in St. Cloud and addressed a large audience Tuesday night at the Methodist church. The superintendent complimented the citizens of the city of wonders for the generous way in which they have assisted in caring for the helpless children, and especially did he mention the Golden Rule Girls and the Priscillas.

The charity which Mr. Fagg represents is without question doing great good and deserves the liberal support of every one. St. Cloud has ever been generous and on this occasion has maintained her previous reputation.

"Suffer little children to come unto me," said the lowly Nazarene, and in the true Christ spirit the Children's Home opens its arms to the little ones. Let every one of our readers help to keep open the portals that the children who are helpless may have a home.

Surprise Party at the Eppel Home

Miss Edna L. Eppel, who resides on the east side of the city, was tendered a surprise party by her friends from the West side, on Tuesday last. Among those present were: Mrs. Marie Page, of Boston; Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Vreeland, Mrs. Mary Veeder, A. Daugherty, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hendrix, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Page. The evening was spent in games and animated repartee, the time to depart arriving all too soon.

IN MEMORIAM

MISS ABBEY LIBBY

Miss Abbey Libby passed away at her home near Peghorn Thursday evening February 3. Miss Libby has been a resident of Florida for 30 years, and was also her brother, and was highly respected by all who knew her. She was an aunt of Mrs. Thos. Farr, whose father is another brother. She leaves two brothers and many nieces here to mourn her loss. She was laid to rest in Kissimmee, on Saturday, February 5th, Undertaker Carlson having the funeral in chanrge.

Young People's Literary Club

The Young People's Literary Club meets every Friday evening at their rooms, Florida avenue and Ninth street, under the auspices of the Ladies' Improvement Club, to improve their minds socially, mentally and morally. All young people who are interested may become members

Flag With Stars Arranged In Circle

A flag presented to Company A, First Pennsylvania Riflemen, and carried to Mexico was brought to the Tribune office last Friday by the son of the man who was captain of Company A, First Pennsylvania Riflemen at that time. The flag has thirty-one stars, a large one in center with the others circled about it.

The gentleman who brought the flag to this office withholds his name but says he is well acquainted with John McElroy, as they were in Andersonville Prison together in 1864.

Goon Old Cider, Only 10 Per Cent Alcohol

Marshal McEndree and Sheriff Ingram discovered that two places in our city were selling cider which was only ten per cent alcohol. That isn't so much alcohol—some whiskey has more; but the state law, we understand, says that two percent is all that is allowed. The parties who were coralled were let off with the promise to discontinue, and on pleading ignorance as to the amount of alcohol in the apple juice. Seven kegs were confiscated and we want to know where they went, for so many folks ask us that question and we can not answer them.

Arrivals New St. Cloud

H. C. McCartha, Tampa; O. A. Rickey, Tampa; M. Lehren, Chas. Mann, Orlando; Geo. A. Upton, Peabody Mass.; W. L. Thompson, W. M. Lindsay, J. L. Smith, Lakeland; Frank Bushnell, Ed. Hanley, Tampa; Geo. W. Taylor, Haverhill, Mass.; J. H. Walter, W. H. Walker, Bassenger; B. H. Baten, Centralia, Wash.; I. H. Hitchcox and wife, Geneva, N. Y.; J. W. Bell, Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Miss E. O. Wareling, New York City; E. W. Kruse and wife, Zephyrhills; T. I. Wood, Lakeland; Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Parish Gilford, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. E. Ledson, Gilford, Mich.

Old papers for sale at the Tribune office.

ART EXHIBITION FOR ORLANDO FARE IS IN PECKHAM BUILDING

Part of the exhibition which will go to the big fair at Orlando is the Art Loan Exhibit which will be on view this afternoon in the Peckham building and will be packed and shipped Friday. The Ladies' Improvement Club is assisting in making a good show at Orlando and the people of St. Cloud should see it before it leaves here. Mrs. C. W. Morsman and the different committees are busy as bees but they will be on the job to explain everything to you when you call and will serve you with a delicious cup of tea.

Mr. Sam Brammar has some very valuable porcelain art on exhibition at the ladies' art exhibit in the Peckham building. See them this afternoon.

Mrs. W. B. Rush, who is recognized as an artist of high merit, has kindly loaned some of her treasures to the ladies' art exhibit, which can be seen this afternoon in the Peckham building. Mrs. Rush can produce anything that can be made with a brush and paint anything in the way of art creations, and being a natural artist just can't keep from making beautiful things.

Order Trees Now; Get Ready Your Land; Still Time to Plant Citrus

Citrus fruit trees should be planted at the earliest possible moment, though a goodly portion of the season remains and they may be put out at any time within several weeks.

Some growers who contemplate considerable plantings this spring have been delayed in one way or another. These can get their trees in the ground in ample time if they will start right now to prepare the land.

Some of the best of the producing groves owned by Buckeye nurseries and affiliated interests were planted late in the spring. We know whereof we speak when we advise growers not to miss planting just because they are a little late.

There should be little further delay. Plantings can easily be postponed until too late for best results or until the scarcity of **good** nursery trees will make it difficult to get stock of the right quality and desired varieties, grown and sold by reliable nurseries.

Heretofore it has been necessary to order Buckeye trees very early to make sure of getting them. This year we have so many more than ever before—as a result of four years' preparation—that notwithstanding a greatly increased demand we are still in position to take care of additional orders.

Get your reservations for Buckeye trees on record right now. If you don't have the new Buckeye catalog, write quick for it.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR MAYOR

At the earnest solicitation of many friends I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of mayor of St. Cloud, and respectfully solicit the votes of all the people. If elected, I promise to faithfully perform the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

W. F. Kenney.

FOR ASSESSOR and COLLECTOR

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Assessor and Collector of the City of St Cloud, and respectfully ask the support of all the voters at the coming city election.

22-tf S. W. Porter.

CITY ASSESSOR and TAX COLLECTOR

By the request of many taxpayers I announce myself as a candidate for City Assessor and Tax Collector. I have had experience, both as assessor and the collecting of taxes. I assisted our former city clerk in making up our city tax books, which gives one an idea of the taxable valuation of the city property. If elected as City Assessor and Tax Collector, our charter makes me a member of the city council, and I do most positively state that, as a councilman I would use my best endeavors to give the city that which our charter designs they should have.

Respectfully,

23-tfp D. H. Gill.

FOR CITY CLERK

To my Friends:

I wish to thank you for your hearty support and announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of City Clerk and Auditor, and will appreciate your continued support.

Fred B. Kenney.

FOR CITY CLERK

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of City Clerk of St. Cloud, and respectfully solicit the support of all the voters at the coming election.

Sam Brammar,

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR (For Final Dicharge)

IN COURT OF COUNTY JUDGE, STATE OF FLORIDA.

In re Estate of Herman Hasenwinker } Osceola County.

Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, that on the 11th day of September, A. D. 1916, I shall apply to the Honorable T. M. Murphy, Judge of said Court, as Judge of Probate, for my final discharge as Administrator with will annexed of the estate of Herman Hasenwinker, deceased; and that at the same time I will present to said Court my final accounts as Administrator with will annexed of said estate, and ask for their approval.

Dated February 8, A. D. 1916.

JAMES W. CARVER,

24-1to-6m. Administrator with will annexed.

WANT ADS

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—THE BEST PROPOSITION EVER OFFERED; BOX 288, ST. CLOUD. 24-1t

FOR SALE— Horse and wagon; apply Joseph Guinan, 7th St. and Ind. 23-3tp

FOR SALE—4 full colonies bees, on eight straight combs; hives full of bees; will sell hives and bees complete, for $5 each. Address box 378, St. Cloud, Fla. 24tf

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE—Cheap, for cash, two large lots and ten acres good land close in. Address Mrs. Olaf Johnson, 302 6th St., Miami, Fla. 21-5tp

FOR SALE—Lots 1 and 2 corner of 10th and Delaware Ave. Runs to ally; was cleared of oak scrub, plowed and fenced during the winter of 1913. Fine location, as 10th is part of new highway. Purchaser, at assessor's valuation will receive free deed of lot 4 in block 201, bonus. This is an exceptional bargain. Address B. F. Callender, 404 Birr street, Rochester, N. Y., or B. F. Ralls, St. Cloud, Fla. 23-4t

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS

FOR RENT—Large, airy rooms, furnished for house keeping; terms reasonable. Apply to Miss Hascher, cor. of 11th and Illinois ave. 8-tf-com

ROOMS FOR LIGHT HOUSE-keeping, with view of entire lake, only $2 per week, fuel and lights found; fishing, gunning and bathing, at the Wetnworth Cottage, St. Cloud, Fla.

FURNISHED ROOMS—For Light Housekeeping; electric lights, bath. Very pleasantly located; porches on three sides of building; 2 stories. The Fleminghurst, Fla. Ave. and 7th St. 23-2tp

FOR SALE—FURNISHED HOUSES

FOR SALE—5-room bungalow; all modern improvements; completely furnished; between 6th and 7th Sts., on Pennsylvania avenue. J. W. Moore. 22-4tp

FOR ROOMS AND BOARD

ROOMS AND BOARD—At California Bungalow, Mass. Ave. and 9th St.; also meals served. Mrs. Nighswonger. 23-tf

WANTED

WANTED—No. 8 cook stove. Address Box 621 St. Cloud, Fla. 24-1tp

MISCELLANEOUS

SIDEWALKS—If you want a good sidewalk get C. J. Rothrock to build it out of cement especially adapted to this climate, by its color. 23-2t